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MEMORANDUM FOR UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR ACQUISITION, TECHNOLOGY, AND LOGISTICS AUDITOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

SUBJECT: Audit of the Army's Use Firm Fixed Price Level of Effort Term Contracts (Project No. D2016-D000CN-0069.000)

We plan to begin the subject audit in January 2016. Our objective is to determine whether Army officials properly awarded and administered firm fixed price level of effort term contracts in accordance with Federal and DoD regulations and policies. This audit will be the first in a series of audits. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the audit at the Army Contracting Command-Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Alabama and the Medical Research Acquisition Activity, Fort Detrick, Maryland. We may identify additional locations during the audit.

Please provide us with a point of contact for the audit within **10 days** of the date of this memorandum. The point of contact should be a Government employee—a GS-15, pay band equivalent, or the military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address to audemp@dodig.mil.

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If you have any questions, please contact

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