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Mr. Paul Pierson, Chief Procurement Officer
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Dear Mr. Pierson:

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF THE ACQUISITION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR
BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY (BNL), OPERATED AND
MANAGED BY BROOKHAVEN SCIENCE ASSOCIATES, LLC (BSA)

Reference: DOE Contract No. DE-SC0012704

Having considered the recent Targeted PERT review, BSA's Corrective Action Plan, achievement of the PEMP Notable, and efforts to improve the overall operations of the Acquisition Management System - BHSO is confident that BSA will continue its trajectory towards improvement and is therefore eliminating the conditions of approval. While this represents a step in the right direction, BSA should remain diligent in ensuring that the corrective action plan is seen to completion. To that end, BHSO requests continued assurance that the plan is followed and that deviations or changes in the milestones are reported to the site office. Additionally, BHSO intends to rely on the FY 2023 independent effectiveness review to provide further assurance.

In accordance with FAR Subpart 44.305, Granting, Withholding, or Withdrawing approval, the Department of Energy **approves** BSA's Acquisition Management System under DOE Contract No. DE-SC0012704 through **September 30, 2024**. The Acquisition Management System will remain under revised oversight per Clause H.3(b).

This approval:

1. Shall automatically terminate upon the expiration date cited above unless extended;
2. Shall automatically terminate when any significant change occurs in the practices of the purchasing system unless the change has received prior approval by the Contracting Officer (CO);
3. May be modified or withdrawn at any time at the discretion of the CO;
4. It is subject to the requirements set forth in the prime contract.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to get in touch with me at extension 7812.

Sincerely,

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