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LOBBYING RESTRICTION CERTIFICATION

Bidder Company Name: _____

Contract Number _____ Project Number _____

The undersigned Bidder certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- a) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federally funded contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- b) **IF ANY FUNDS** other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federally funded contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- c) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification is subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure. Any person who makes a prohibited expenditure or fails to file or amend the required certification or disclosure form is subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such expenditure or failure.

The undersigned certifies or affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of each statement of its certification and disclosure, if any. In addition, the undersigned understands and agrees that the provisions of 31 U.S.C. Section 3801, *et seq.*, apply to this certification and disclosure, if any.

Bidder Name: _____

By: _____
(Signature of Bidder's Authorized Official)

Date: _____

Name: _____
(Name of Authorized Official)

Title: _____
(Title of Authorized Official)