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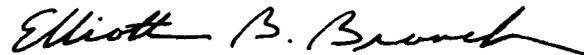
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MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Continuing Appropriations Act Authorities

By the attached memorandum dated January 19, 2011, the Director of Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy (DPAP) reminded contracting officers that the Continuing Appropriations Act for FY 2011 extends the authorities and conditions of the FY 2010 DoD Appropriations Act through March 4, 2011. Accordingly, all of the authorities and conditions of the prior year's Act carry forward unless the Continuing Appropriations Act specifies otherwise. Two examples of FY 2010 DoD Appropriations Act restrictions are cited in the memorandum.

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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, UNITED STATES SPECIAL OPERATIONS
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The Department of Defense (DoD) has been operating under the Continuing Appropriations Act for FY 2011 (Pub. L. 111-242, as amended by Pub. L. 111-290, Pub. L. 111-317, and Pub. L. 111-322), which extends the FY 2010 DoD Appropriations Act authorities and conditions through March 4, 2011. We have received a number of queries from the field about the effect that the Continuing Appropriations Act has on FY 2010 DoD Appropriations Act authorities.

Contracting officers are reminded that the Continuing Appropriations Act requires that all of the authorities and conditions of the prior year's Act carry forward unless the Continuing Appropriations Act specifies otherwise. For example, the restrictions relating to use of domestic sources and use of mandatory arbitration agreements continue.

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