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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, UNITED STATES SPECIAL OPERATIONS  
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SUBJECT: Pilot Program For Transition To Follow-On Contracting After Use of Other  
Transaction Authority

The statutory authority for the subject pilot program authorized by section 845(e) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1994 (10 U.S.C. 2371, Note) expires on September 30, 2008. As a result, no contracts may be awarded under this program's authority after September 30, 2008. Please be advised that the date provided in the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) at 212.7002-1(a)(4) is incorrect.

The National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2009, if enacted, includes a section 824, "Modification and extension of pilot program for transition to follow-on contracts under authority to carry out certain prototype projects." This section would extend the authority to use the Pilot Program to September 30, 2010.

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