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SUBJECT: Data Call for Pilot Program for Anything-as-a-Service Contracts or Agreements

Section 809 of the National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for FY 2024 (Public Law 118-31), directs the Secretary of Defense to establish a pilot program for “anything-as-a service” and to brief the congressional defense committees not later than June 30, 2024, on implementation of the pilot program. The pilot program will explore the use of consumption-based solutions to address any defense need, hereafter “anything-as-a-service,” that is feasible to provide users on-demand access, quickly add newly released capabilities, and bill based on actual usage at fixed price units.

Section 809 of the NDAA for FY 2024 defines “anything-as-a-service” as a model under which a technology-supported capability is provided to the Department of Defense and may utilize any combination of software, hardware or equipment, data, and labor or service that provides a capability that is metered and billed based on actual usage at fixed price units. Currently there are no known prohibitions against acquiring “anything-as-a-service,” and it is Defense Pricing and Contracting’s understanding that “anything-as-a-service” acquisitions are already being used or contemplated. While the “anything-as-a-service” pilot program goes through the Department’s Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) rulemaking process and to inform the content of the required briefing, I am requesting organizations identify any service requirements that used consumption-based acquisition models during fiscal years 2020 to 2024. Please use the attached spreadsheet (Attachment 1) to submit your responses for awarded contracts or other agreements that meet the “anything-as-a-service” criteria for consumption-based solutions or requirements that meet the criteria but are not on contract.

Request each component provide consolidated inputs using the attached spreadsheet (Attachment 1) not later than April 12, 2024, to my point of contact Ms. Paula Smith at osd.pentagon.ousd-a-s.mbx.asda-dp-c-contractpolicy@mail.mil. Please contact Ms. Smith at 703-945-5688 with any questions. Negative responses are requested, as appropriate.

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Attachments:
As stated