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Title: LE-2 CD-3C CX Projects Government Furnished Property (GFP)

Description: This CX is for the procurement of government property for the LE-2 CD-3C projects. The environmental impacts of the construction of the projects is being evaluated in programmatic NEPA documents. Below is a scope of work for each of the CD-3C projects.

BC-LE-1754A: Purchase equipment to provide WIFI capabilities in all areas of the site including administration, operations and warehousing.

BH-LE-1755A: Purchase equipment to provide WIFI capabilities in all areas of the site including administration, operations and warehousing.

BM-LE-1756A: Purchase equipment to provide WIFI capabilities in all areas of the site including administration, operations and warehousing.

BM-LE-1760A: Replacing main entry security wedge gate hydraulic security barrier (HSB).

BM-LE-1760B: Purchase new Pre-engineered Entry Portal Building and Vehicle Inspection Shelter with concrete foundations.

BM-LE-1760C: Purchase new Government furnished Security Arm Cantilever Barrier(s) with concrete foundations.

BM-LE-1760E: Purchase X-Ray and Metal Detector

WH-LE-1757A: Purchase equipment to provide WIFI capabilities in all areas of the site including administration, operations and warehousing.

Regulatory Requirements National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Implementing Procedures (10 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 1021)

10 CFR 1021.410 (Application of Categorical Exclusions)

- (a) The actions listed in Appendices A and B of Subpart D are classes of actions that Department of Energy (DOE) has determined do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment (categorical exclusions).
- (b) To find that a proposal is categorically excluded, DOE shall determine the following:
 - (1) The proposed action fits within a class of actions that is listed in Appendix A or B of Subpart D;
 - (2) There are no extraordinary circumstances related to the proposal that may affect the significance of the environmental effects of the proposal; and
 - (3) The proposal is not "connected" (40 CFR 1508.25(a)(1)) to other actions with potentially significant impact, is not related to other proposed actions with cumulatively significant impacts (40 CFR 1508.25(a)(2)), and is not precluded by 40 CFR 1506.1 or 10 CFR 1021.211.

Appendix B (Categorical Exclusions Applicable to Specific Agency Actions) The proposed action <u>must not:</u>

- 1. Threaten a violation of statutory, regulatory, or permit requirements for environment, safety, and health, including requirements of DOE and/or Executive Orders;
- 2. Require siting and construction or major expansion of waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment facilities (including incinerators), but the proposal may include categorically excluded waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment actions or facilities;
- Disturb hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, or Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA)-excluded petroleum and natural gas products that preexist in the environment such that would be uncontrolled or un-permitted releases;

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- 4. Have the potential to cause significant impacts on environmentally sensitive resources, which includes (i) property (sites, buildings, structures, and objects) of historical, archeological, or architectural significance; (ii) federally-listed and state-listed threatened or endangered species or their habitat, federally-protected marine mammals and essential fish habitat and otherwise federally-protected species; (iii) floodplains and wetlands; (iv) federally and state designated areas (wilderness areas, national parks, national monuments, national natural landmarks, wild and scenic rivers, wildlife refuges, scenic areas, and marine sanctuaries); (v) prime or unique farmland; (vi) special sources of water (sole-source aquifers, wellhead protection areas, and other vital water resources); and (vii) tundra, coral reefs, or rain forests); or
- 5. Involve genetically engineered organisms, synthetic biology, governmentally designated noxious weeds, or invasive species.

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Environmental Analysis: (mark all environmental aspects that are applicable to this project)

Air Emissions	Environmental Monitoring	Fire
Green Procurement	Project Design	Waste
Spills/Releases	Cavern Integrity	Discharges
Energy Use	Natural Resource Conservation	Water Use
Transportation	Chemical Use/Selection	Public Involvement
Sustainable Building	Electronic Stewardship	Wetlands Permitting
Clean Water	Pollution Prevention	Tredailes i cirrically

Categorical Exclusion (CX) Determination

NEPA review suggests this project is a Categorical Exclusion. This suggestion is based on review of the project description. If there are changes in the scope of this project additional NEPA review may be required.

CX to be applied A.8

Award of contracts for technical support services, management and operation of a government-owned facility and personal services.

NEPA Approval

Based on my review of information conveyed to me and in my possession the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (as authorized under DOE Order 451.1) I have determined that the proposed action fits within the specified actions, the other regulatory requirements set forth above are met, and the action is hereby excluded from further NEPA review.

Approved By

FFPO Environmental Concurrence

SPR Derivative Classifier

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