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PROCUREMENT MEMORANDUM 2006-008 (AMENDMENT 2)

MEMORANDUM FOR: **Heads of Contracting Offices**

FROM: for Vina R. Evans
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SUBJECT: **Further Extension of 8(a) Partnership Agreement Between SBA and DOC**

Agreement has been reached to extend the Partnership Agreement (PA) between the U.S. Small Business Administration and the Department of Commerce delegating procedures for the expediting of award of requirements pursuant to section (a) of the Small Business Act and SBA's regulations. This second amendment extends the term of the current PA through January 30, 2007, or until the new Partnership Agreement is in place, whichever comes first.

Accordingly, Procurement Memorandum 2006-08 is hereby modified to extend the term of coverage through January 30, 2007. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

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