OFFICE OF SCIENCE
REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY
TO
THE MANAGER OF THE CHICAGO OFFICE
THE MANAGER OF THE OAK RIDGE OFFICE

1. DELEGATION

By memorandum from the Director, Office of Procurement and Assistance Management dated April 20, 2004, I was designated Head of the Contracting Activity (HCA) for all contract activity performed at DOE offices reporting to the Office of Science which includes the Chicago Office (CH), Oak Ridge Office (OR), and the nine SC National Laboratory Site Offices. Pursuant to that designation I hereby redelegate to the Manager, CH and to the Manager, OR all authorities of the HCA necessary to carry out their assigned responsibilities except those authorities which cannot be delegated by the HCA by law, rules and regulations of the Department of Energy, or the policies and procedures prescribed by the Director, Office of Procurement and Assistance Management.

2. LIMITATION:

The authorities redelegated herein are in addition to, and not in limitation of, any other authority delegated or responsibilities assigned to the Manager, CH and the Manager, OR by any Departmental directive, regulation, or other issuance.

Nothing in this redelegaton shall preclude the HCA or the Director, Office of Procurement and Assistance Management, from directly exercising any authority whenever it is judged that the exercise of such authority is necessary or appropriate to administer the functions vested in those positions.

3. AUTHORITY TO REDELEGATE

Except as expressly prohibited by law, rules and regulations of the Department of Energy, and the policies and procedures prescribed by the Director, Office of Procurement and Assistance Management, the Manager, CH and the Manager, OR may further delegate specific authority in whole or in part. A copy of such redelgation will be provided to the HCA.

4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This redelegation is effective 6/22/04, and shall remain in effect until superseded or cancelled by the HCA.

Milton D. Johnson
Head of Contracting Activity
Chief Operating Officer
Office of Science