



Agreement Date: March 27, 2015

NEGOTIATION AGREEMENT

INSTITUTION: **UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA
 FAIRBANKS, ALASKA 99775**

The Facilities and Administrative (F&A) rates contained herein are for use on grants, contracts and/or other agreements issued or awarded to The University of Alaska (UA) by all Federal Agencies of the United States of America, in accordance with the cost principles mandated by 2 CFR 200. These rates shall be used for forward pricing and billing purposes for UA's Fiscal Years 2017 and 2018. This rate agreement supersedes all previous rate agreements/determinations for Fiscal Years 2017 and 2018.

Section I: RATES - TYPE: PREDETERMINED (PRED)

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>BASE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>APPLICABLE TO</u>
<u>University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF)</u>						
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	50.50%	(a)	On-Campus	Organized Research (1)
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	59.50%	(a)	On-Campus	Organized Research (2)
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Organized Research (1)
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	35.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Organized Research (2)
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	37.20%	(a)	On-Campus	Other Sponsored Activities
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Other Sponsored Activities
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.70%	(a)	All	Poker Flat
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	35.00%	(a)	All	Ship
<u>University of Alaska Anchorage (UAA)</u>						
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	51.20%	(a)	On-Campus	Organized Research
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Organized Research
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	33.00%	(a)	On-Campus	Other Sponsored Activities
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Other Sponsored Activities
<u>University of Alaska Southeast (UAS)</u>						
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	59.00%	(a)	On-Campus	Organized Research
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Organized Research
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	30.20%	(a)	On-Campus	Other Sponsored Activities
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Other Sponsored Activities
<u>Systemwide (Applies to all Campuses)</u>						
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	50.00%	(a)	On-Campus	Sponsored Training
Pred	7/1/16	6/30/18	26.00%	(a)	Off-Campus	Sponsored Training

DISTRIBUTION BASE

- (a) Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC), as defined in 2 CFR 200, consisting of all direct salaries and wages, applicable fringe benefits, materials and supplies, services, travel, and up to the first \$25,000 of each subaward (regardless of the period of performance of the subawards under the award). MTDC excludes equipment, capital expenditures, charges for patient care, rental costs, tuition remission, scholarships and fellowships, participant support costs and the portion of each subaward in excess of \$25,000.

APPLICABLE TO:

- (1) Applies to DOD contracts awarded before November 30, 1993, all Non-DOD Instruments, and all DOD grants (See Section II, paragraph E). (Capped)
(2) Applies to only DOD contracts awarded on or after November 30, 1993 in accordance with and under the authority of DFARS 231.303(1) (See Section II, paragraph F). (Uncapped)

SECTION II: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. LIMITATIONS: Use of the rates set forth under Section I is subject to any statutory or administrative limitations and is applicable to a given grant, contract or other agreement only to the extent that funds are available and consistent with any and all limitations of cost clauses or provisions, if any, contained therein. Acceptance of the rates agreed to herein is predicated upon all of the following conditions: (1) that no costs other than those incurred by the grantee/contractor were included in this indirect cost pool as finally accepted and that such costs are legal obligations of the grantee/contractor and allowable under governing cost principles; (2) that the same costs that have been treated as indirect costs are not claimed as direct costs; (3) that similar types of costs have been accorded consistent accounting treatment; and (4) that the information provided by the grantee/contractor, which was used as the basis for acceptance of the rates agreed to herein and expressly relied upon by the Government in negotiating and accepting the said rates, is not subsequently found to be materially incomplete or inaccurate.

B. ACCOUNTING CHANGES: The rates contained in Section I of this agreement are based on the accounting system in effect at the time the agreement was negotiated. Changes to the method(s) of accounting for costs which affect the amount of reimbursement resulting from the use of these rates require the written approval of the authorized representative of the cognizant negotiating agency for the Government prior to implementation of any such changes. Such changes include but are not limited to changes in the charging of a particular type of costs from indirect to direct. Failure to obtain such approval may result in subsequent cost disallowances.

C. PREDETERMINED RATES: The predetermined rates contained in this agreement are not subject to adjustment in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR 200, subject to the limitations contained in Part A of this section.

D. USE BY OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES: The rates set forth in Section I hereof were negotiated in accordance with and under the authority set forth in 2 CFR 200. Accordingly, such rates shall be applied to the extent provided in such regulations to grants, contracts and other transactions to which 2 CFR 200 is applicable, subject to any limitations in part A of this section. Copies of this document may be provided by either party to other Federal agencies which have or intend to issue or award grants and contracts using these rates or to otherwise provide such agencies

with documentary notice of this agreement and its terms and conditions.

E. DFARS WAIVER: Signature of this agreement by the authorized representative of the University of Alaska and the Government acknowledges and affirms the University's request to waive the prohibition contained in DFARS 231.303(1) and the Government's exercise of its discretion contained in DFARS 231.303(2) to waive the prohibition in DFARS 231.303(1) with the exception of the University of Alaska Fairbanks Organized Research. The waiver request by the University of Alaska is made to simplify the University's overall management of DOD cost reimbursements under DOD contracts.

F. APPLICATION OF INDIRECT COST RATES TO DOD

CONTRACTS/SUBCONTRACTS: In accordance with DFARS 231.303, for the University of Alaska Fairbanks Organized Research, no limitation (unless waived by the institution) may be placed on the reimbursement of otherwise allowable indirect costs incurred by an institution of higher education under a DOD contract awarded on or after November 30, 1993, unless the same limitation is applied uniformly to all other organizations performing similar work. It has been determined by the Department of Defense that such limitation is not being uniformly applied. Accordingly, the rates cited (2) of Section I, as explained under the title, "APPLICABLE TO" do not reflect the application of the 26% limitation on administrative indirect costs imposed by 2 CFR 200, whereas (1) does so.

G. SPECIAL REMARKS:

- (1) In accordance with 2 CFR 200.414(g), the University of Alaska has requested an extension of its Fiscal Year FY 2016 rates. Therefore, the rates identified in Section I are an extension of the FY 2016 rates.
- (2) The Government's agreement with the rates set forth in Section I is not an acceptance of University of Alaska (UA)'s accounting practices or methodologies. Any reliance by the Government on cost data or methodologies submitted by UA is on a non-precedence-setting basis and does not imply Government acceptance.
- (3) Off-Campus rates apply to sponsored projects where more than 50% of the university effort is conducted off-campus. Off-Campus is defined as a facility which is not owned or leased by the institution, a facility leased by the institution where the lease costs are charged as direct costs to the award, or a temporary worksite (i.e. field location).

Accepted:

FOR UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA:

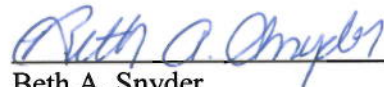


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