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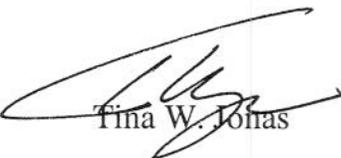
The Honorable Chet Edwards
Chairman, Subcommittee on Military Construction,
Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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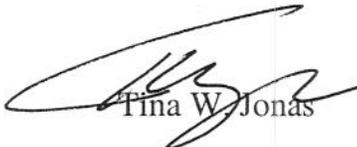
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Bid Expiration Date: December 15, 2008

Military Construction, Army Reserve

Reprogramming Request

Installation: Camp Santiago, Puerto Rico
Project: Modified Record Fire Range (MRFR)
Authorization: National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2006 (P.L. 109-163)

Estimated Cost (\$):

Previously Appropriated	2,000,000
Previously Reprogrammed	-
Requested Reprogramming	1,547,711
Total Estimated Cost	3,547,711

Description: This project is to construct a new Army Reserve Modified Record Fire Range (MRFR) at Camp Santiago, Puerto Rico. The project includes the new construction of eight firing lanes to the existing record firing range. Each new firing lane is 20 meters wide and displays 9 stationary targets from 50 to 300 meters downrange. The primary facilities include all construction within the perimeter of the range complex and consist of a Control Tower (259 sf), fighting positions, target emplacements, secondary power and data distribution system, communications, and site improvement.

Justification: Project was awarded for construction on 29 September 2006 at \$2,000,000. The Naval Facilities Engineering Command (NAVFAC) Atlantic is assigned as the Design and Construction Agent for the project. As a result of unforeseen material conditions, including several land obstructions (rocks), additional funding is required to support the increase in the volume of excavated material and the volume of transport required to remove the excavated material off-site. There are no scope reductions and contingencies are not adequate to complete the project. A reprogramming is required to complete the Modified Record Fire Range. This project is critical to supporting and training reserve units, and if the project were not to be completed, the impact would be additional training man days required to perform pre-mobilization training requirements or longer post mobilization training prior to deployment in support of the current persistent conflict.

Source of Funds. Bid savings from the following project will be used to fund this action.

<u>Location/Project</u>	<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Amount Appropriated</u>	<u>Current Working Estimate</u>	<u>Amount Reprogrammed</u>
Granite City, IL Army Reserve Center PN 10832	2007	\$20,935,000	\$19,387,289	\$1,547,711