MEMORANDUM FOR ALL NETCENTS-2 PRODUCTS CUSTOMERS

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SUBJECT: NETCENTS-2 Products Period of Performance

(b) AFMAN 17-1203, 19 March 2014, Information Technology (IT) Asset Management (ITAM)
(c) NETCENTS-2 Standards, January 2018

1. This memorandum addresses the period of performance for placing orders against the NETCENTS-2 Products contracts. Additionally, the memorandum addresses the period of performance for order execution (i.e. order completion).

2. The NETCENTS Program Office intends to exercise the final available option on NETCENTS-2 Products contracts, which will extend the Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) ordering period to 5 November 2019.

3. The period of performance for delivery orders executed under NETCENTS-2 Products contracts is explained in each contracts’ FAR clause 52.216-22, Indefinite Quantity, where

“(d) Any order issued during the effective period of this contract and not completed within that period shall be completed by the Contractor within the time specified in the order. The contract shall govern the Contractor's and Government's rights and obligations with respect to that order to the same extent as if the order were completed during the contract's effective period; provided, that the Contractor shall not be required to make any deliveries under this contract after one year after the last day of the contract's basic period or subsequent exercised option period.” [emphasis added]

Accordingly, the last day of delivery order performance, to include all delivery order options, must be no later than 5 November 2020.

4. Delivery orders issued (or order options included therein) that do not comply with this last day of delivery order performance are in conflict with the NETCENTS 2 Products contract. Conflicts between the contract and delivery orders are addressed in DFARS clause 252.216-7006, Ordering, where, “(b) All delivery orders or task orders are subject to the terms and conditions of this contract. In the event of conflict between a delivery order or task order and this contract, the contract shall control.”
5. Air Force ordering offices with a current IT Products Acquisition Strategy requiring delivery order execution past 5 November 2020 may submit to their Milestone Decision Authority (MDA) to be exempted from the NETCENTS Mandatory Use Policy, per AFI 63-101, Table 8.1. Requiring activities are advised to ensure adherence to AFMAN 17-1203 IT Asset Management requirements, if their requirements require an MDA exemption from NETCENTS use for the NETCENTS 2 Products contract. Additionally, use of the NETCENTS-2 Standards (January 2018), available at http://www.netcents.af.mil/Contracts/NETCENTS-2/Products/Documents/, is recommended for contract or delivery order preparation by the requiring activity.

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