Nuclear Regulatory Commission FY2012 Small Business Procurement Scorecard

Α 116.45%

FPDS-NG Prime Contracting Data as of Mar. 15, 2013 eSRS Subcontracting Data as of Apr. 15, 2013

Prime Contracting Achievement: 98.62				
	2011 Achievement	2012 Goal	2012 Achievement	
Small Business	33.76%	29.00%	32.98% (\$75.5 M)	
Women Owned Small Business	5.82%	5.00%	7.07% (\$16.2 M)	
Small Disadvantaged Business	14.11%	5.00%	16.39% (\$37.5 M)	
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business	2.40%	3.00%	3.76% (\$8.6 M)	
HUBZone	3.88%	3.00%	4.01% (\$9.2 M)	

Subcontracting Achievement: 8.0				
		2011 Achievement	2012 Goal	2012 Achievement
Small Business		42.70%	55.00%	45.50%
Women Owned Small Business		8.90%	5.00%	6.10%
Small Disadvantaged Business		9.00%	5.00%	3.40%
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business		2.70%	3.00%	1.20%
HUBZone		0.80%	3.00%	2.30%

Success Factors	9.80%
Plan Progress Success Factor Grading Scale: Factor Subtotal Score / 7	Peer Review Score
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to utilize small businesses to obtain goods and services.	1.00
The Agency's senior leadership (i.e. Deputy Secretary, Chief Acquisition Officer, Senior Procurement Executive, senior program managers, and OSDBU Director) demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, that they have clearly communicated the importance of achieving the agency's Small Business contracting goals through the chain of command to the contracting officer level.	1.00
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to small business contracting data quality.	1.00
The Agency demonstrated a commitment to small business utilization through regular training of acquisitions staff on the issues/procedures/policies/regulations impacting small businesses.	1.00
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to growing their small business supplier base and increasing awareness of contracting opportunities for small businesses.	0.93
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to expanding subcontracting opportunities for small businesses. (Reference: FAR 19.7 - Small Business Subcontracting Program).	
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a clearly communicated policy to address and mitigate the adverse effects of contract bundling on small businesses. (Reference: FAR subpart 7.104 for applicable dollar threshold for each agency).	1.00
Total	6.86

Prime and Subcontracting Grading Scale: A+ ≤ 150% but ≥ 120% A < 120% but ≥ 100%

B < 100% but ≥ 90% C < 90% but ≥ 80% D < 80% but ≥ 70% F < 70%

Comments:

Graded Agency:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) continues to support agency mission goals and objectives to regulate commercial and institutional uses of nuclear materials through Federal contracting. In meeting its mission, the NRC also continues to support our Nation's small businesses, including those small businesses owned by the disadvantaged, women, veterans, service-disabled veterans and companies located in Historically Underutilized Business Zones (HUBZone). The agency is committed to increasing its efforts to maintain and exceed Federal small business goals and objectives, and supports varied Federal, Congressional, State and local government efforts and initiatives to maximize small business prime and subcontract opportunities. The NRC continues to deliver a viable outreach program to train, assist and explore the small business marketplace. In Fiscal (FY) 2012, through one on one counseling to over 100 businesses and participating in over 10 outreach events, the NRC reached out to over 9,500 small business owners. The NRC recognizes that small businesses are the economic engine that drive job growth and are vital to the economic recovery and security of the Nation and therefore values small business partnerships in supporting agency operations.

The NRC was pleased to achieve our first letter scorecard grade of letter "A" in FY 2011 and to have met and exceeded its overall small business prime contracting goals for FY 2012. This sustained effort is a result of a coordinated commitment between the Small Business Program and acquisitions staff. Increased performance has been recognized in every economic subcategory. Growth opportunities moving forward will be focused on subcontracting achievement. The NRC continues to support and implement a Scorecard Progress Plan to increase the value of prime and subcontract awards to small business through strategic acquisition planning, market research and set-aside efforts as well as by providing training and technical assistance to both Federal agency officials and the business community. Moreover, as the agency implements various strategic acquisition and operational modernization initiatives, the NRC plans to continue ensuring a place for small businesses in its consolidation efforts.