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MEMORANDUM FOR UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR ACQUISITION,  
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UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR POLICY  
UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (COMPTROLLER)/CHIEF  
FINANCIAL OFFICER  
COMMANDER, U.S. SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND  
DIRECTOR, JOINT STAFF

SUBJECT: Audit of U.S. Special Operations Command Global Battlestaff and Program Support  
Contract Oversight (Project No. D2012-D000JB-0043.000)

We plan to begin the subject audit in November 2011. Our objective is to determine if U.S. Special Operations Command (SOCOM) is providing adequate oversight of the Global Battlestaff and Program Support contract. Specifically, we will determine whether SOCOM personnel are properly administering the contract and effectively monitoring contractor's performance. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the audit at the SOCOM headquarters. We may identify additional locations during the audit.

Please provide us with a point of contact for the audit in writing in 10 days. The point of contact should be a Government employee, a GS-15 or pay band equivalent or the military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address by e-mail.

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Amy J. Frontz".

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