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IN REPLY REFER TO:

August 1, 2025

Katherine Hammer
Vice President for Finance
Office of the Vice President for Finance
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
77 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, MA 02139

Dear Katherine Hammer:

Enclosed is a copy of the Contractor Purchasing System Review (CPSR) report conducted at your institution during the week of 02 June 2025. Based upon the results of this review, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's purchasing system is considered adequate to protect the Government's interests and is approved through 01 August 2028.

MIT's corrective action plan submitted on 24 June 2025, addressing the recommendations reported to you in the enclosed CPSR report, has been received and found to be acceptable.

Approval of your purchasing system is given pursuant to FAR Subpart 44.3, and applies to all Federal Government Contracts to the extent that cross-servicing agreements exist. System approval shall automatically terminate at the end of the approval period (or approval period as extended), or when any significant change occurs in the system, unless approved by the Administrative Contracting Officer (ACO). System approval may be withdrawn at any time at the discretion of the ACO.

This approval may waive some of the consent and advance notification requirements for certain subcontracts per the subcontracting clause (FAR 52.244-2 and Agency supplements).

If there are any questions regarding this approval, please do not hesitate to contact me at (564) 226-8783 or valarie.a.woodbury.civ@us.navy.mil.

Sincerely,

Valarie Woodbury
Administrative Contracting Officer

Enclosure: Contractor Purchasing System Review (CPSR) report dated 18 July 2025.

Cc: James Santaniello, Purchasing Systems Manager