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TO: Procurement Directors

Director, Policy Division FROM: Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy Office of Acquisition and Assistance Management

SUBJECT: DOE O 471.3 Admin Chg 1, Identifying and Protecting Official Use Only Information DOE M 471.3-1 Admin Chg 1, Manual for Identifying and Protecting Official Use Only Information

SUMMARY: The Department has made administrative changes to the above listed Directives. The changes do not substantively affect the Contractor Requirements Documents (CRD) associated with the Directives.

Under the Department's Directives Program (DOE Order 251.1C), Heads of Field Elements are generally responsible for determining which contracts are to include the CRD. Contracting Officers, once notified, are responsible for incorporating the CRD into affected contracts. Since some Heads of Field Elements may not be aware that this change has been issued, Contracting Officers should request their determination of which, if any, contracts are affected and remind them that they may sign up for automated notification at <u>www.directives.doe.gov</u>.

This flash may be viewed at http://management.energy.gov/policy_guidance/policy_flashes.htm.

Questions regarding contracts intended to be affected by the CRD should be directed to the office identified in the "Contact" paragraph and questions regarding contract modifications should be directed to Helen Oxberger at (202) 287-1332 or <u>helen.oxberger@hq.doe.gov.</u>