BONNEVILLE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INSTRUCTIONS
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SUBJECT: Revision of Bonneville Financial Assistance Instructions (BFAI).

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

This is the second transmittal of BFAI content in calendar year 2010 and adds new or revised content to several Parts of the BFAI.

All content in this update is effective September 15, 2010.

This Update, and all future Updates, to the BFAI will be electronic and will not be distributed in paper form. Readers of this policy manual may print copies for their own use.

From this date forward, the Transmittal Number and Date of each modified BFAI Part will reflect the most recent edition. Content revisions are annotated by a dark vertical line in the left margins.

Archived editions of the BPI are retained by the Head of Contracting Activity and located in the agency approved Electronic Records Management System.

Part 1:
1. The requirement to advertise the list of BPA’s financial assistance awards in Part 1.1.5 has been removed.
2. CFR references have been incorporated into the Policy in Part 1.3.2.2 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Guidance, cross referencing the Circulars where available.

Part 4:
1. Payment Clauses 4-5 and 4-6 have been revised to remove the references to Standard Forms 269a and 272e replacing them with a reference to the new combined Standard Form 425.
2. Clause 4-8 Limitation of Liability Clause has been re-titled “Indemnification” to more accurately reflect the intent.
3. Clause 4-9 Acknowledgment of Support has been revised to broaden the focus beyond mere research to all projects and provides the FAO discretion when publishing the Award number.

4. Part 4-10 (d)(26) Contents of Awards, Budget Changes and Line Item Transfers, has been revised to include an exception for awards with major cost sharing provisions.

5. 'Procedure' in Parts 4-9 and 4-10 has been revised enabling FAO’s to more easily determine appropriate clause selections.

These revised BFAI Parts will be added to the electronic BFAI, located at this URL: http://www.bpa.gov/corporate/business/bfai/