

**Amendment No. 0002 to BAA 08-009**

**Questions and Answers**

**“Automated Image Understanding and Information Integration Applied Research”**

The purpose of Amendment 0002 is to provide clarification and answers to questions received in response to BAA 08-009.

Under Section IV, entitled, “APPLICATION AND SUBMISSION INFORMATION” is hereby clarified regarding submissions of White Papers/Full Proposals.

**“SUBMISSIONS OF WHITE PAPERS/FULL PROPOSALS SENT BY FAX OR E-MAIL WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. SUBMISSIONS OF WHITE PAPERS/FULL PROPOSALS THAT ARE HAND-CARRIED WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.”**

**Question #1:** Should a cost Proposal be submitted along with the White Paper?

**Answer#1:** A one (1) page summary segregated by both tasks and year should be submitted with the White Paper. The white paper should also clearly state the tasks associated with the costs.

**Question #2:** I would like to know if the Research in the areas of BAA 08-009 limited to “U.S. persons” as defined in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR)-22 CFR 1201.1 et.seq?

**Answer #2:** If the research effort requires access to classified information, only U.S. citizens are eligible to perform the research effort. If the research effort will not require access to classified information and the research is considered sensitive, the contractor must be “U.S. persons”.

**Question #3:** Will ONR be providing data sources (i.e. surveillance video, images, etc.) for testing or development related to the “Automated Image Understanding and Information Integration Applied Research” Program Thrust. If not will “street level” images/video be sufficient for demonstration, or must we have access to overhead/aerial imagery/video.

**Answer #3** Some imagery and data might be provided, but this will be determined on a case-by-case basis. Non-aerial images and video are sufficient for demonstration and development.