1. **Question:** It seems that there is a discrepancy in the due dates for the white papers on BAA 09-011. Paragraph 5 says the due date is December 18, while section IV.1 says December 11.

**Answer:** The due date for receipt of White Papers is December 18th, 2008.

Section IV.1 is revised to read as follows:

“**IV. APPLICATION AND SUBMISSION INFORMATION**

1. **Application and Submission Process -**

   **White Paper Submission**

   White Papers are required prior to submitting a Full Proposal. The due date for receipt of White Papers is no later than 2:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) on 18 December 2008. Initial Government evaluations of the White Papers will be issued via e-mail notification on or about 28 January 2009. Detailed Technical and Cost proposals will be subsequently encouraged from those Offerors whose proposed technologies have been identified through the above referenced e-mail as being of “particular value” to the Government. However, any such encouragement does not assure a subsequent award. The Government may also suggest collaborations between Offerors if it believes a combination of concepts would present the “best value”. Technical and Cost Proposals may also be submitted by any Offeror whose White Paper was not identified as being of particular value to the Government. But the initial White Paper appraisal is intended to give companies a sense of whether their concepts are likely to be funded under this BAA.

   Full Proposals will not be considered under this BAA unless a White Paper was received on or before the White Paper due date specified above.”