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Washington, DC 20515

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Chairman David Obey
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Ranking Member Jerry Lewis
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey & Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting \$8,000,000 for Scenario Generation for IAMD Evaluation (SGIE) in fiscal year 2010. The entity to receive funding for this project is QinetiQ North America Systems Engineering Group, located at 890 Explorer Boulevard Huntsville AL 35806. The funding would be used for 54 ground test cases identified in the IAMD TEMP and 7 flight test cases derived from ground test matrix. A scenario for each test case is required to capture the design specification as it is intended to perform in a battlefield situation. Taxpayer Justification: This program will contribute to the work of establishing an Integrated Air & Missile Defense System protect against air breathing missile and cruise missile threats. This work will provide a network centric system to integrate a mix of sensors and shooters through a common IAMD battle command system.

Also, I hereby certify that this request will be made publicly available on my Official Website as required by Chairman Obey's new Committee policy that only posted requests will be considered.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

Robert B. Aderholt