

Please file with NOAA Circular 71-54 (filed as NDM 36-11)

SUBJECT:

Delegation of Authority to Serve as Approving Official and as Source Selection Official for Competitive Negotiated Procurement Actions

TO:

All Financial Management Centers

Pursuant to the management oversight procedures set forth in NOAA Circular 71-54, Competitive Negotiated Procurement Actions (filed as NOAA Directives Manual 36-11), I hereby designate the following persons to serve as Approving Officials for Procurement Proposals and as Source Selection Officials on proposed procurement actions:

For procurements involving NOAA-estimated costs of \$1,000,000 or more, the Associate Administrator.

For procurements involving NOAA-estimated costs of \$250,000 or more, but less than \$1,000,000, the Assistant Administrator most directly concerned.

For procurements involving NOAA-estimated costs of less than \$250,000, the Director of the Major Program Element most directly involved.

This authority may be redelegated in writing by the person specified above, on an individual case basis, to a responsible senior official. A copy of such delegation shall be filed as part of the official summary of the Source Evaluation Board proceedings.

This procedure does not affect review and approval of formally advertised procurements.

Richard A. Frank Administrator