



**Authorization and Consent (Exhibit 4)**

(Reference CD-0036)

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- a) The Government authorizes and consents to all use and manufacture of any invention described in and covered by a United States patent in the performance of this subcontract or any subcontract at any tier.
- b) The Seller agrees to include, and require inclusion of, the following, suitably modified to identify the parties, in all subcontracts at any tier expected to exceed \$100,000:
  - a. Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 52.227-1, without Alternate 1, in subcontract for supplies or services (including construction, architect-engineer services, and materials, supplies, models, samples, and design or testing services).
  - b. Department of Energy Acquisition Regulation (DEAR) 970.5227-4, paragraphs (a), (c)(2) and (c)(3) in research and development subcontracts (including those for construction and architect-engineer services calling exclusively for research and development work or exclusively for experimental work).
- c) Omission of an authorization and consent from any subcontract, including those valued at or below \$100,000, does not affect this authorization and consent.