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Memorandum for Clara Asmail
NIST SBIR Program Manager

From: Ron Cooper
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Ron Cooper 8/1/08

Subject: Acceptance of final deliverable under Contract SB1341-06-C-0026

Pursuant to the Interagency Agreement between DoE and NIST entered into for the purpose of acquiring a neutron detector through the NIST SBIR Program. Today, the contractor, NOVA Scientific has delivered to NIST the detector that will be transferred to Department of Energy, Oak Ridge National Laboratory. The detector was tested at NIST NCNR today and was found to meet satisfactory performance.

I find the detector to be fully acceptable and request that you close out the subject contract as fully satisfied.

I have taken possession of the neutron detector and will remove it from NIST today with the intention of taking it to ORNL. It will remain in the custody of DoE ORNL.

From this point, NIST will no longer be responsible to Department of Energy regarding the detector or its future condition.