

**EXHIBIT 1**  
**GOVERNMENT WIDE DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION**

The Contractor shall comply and facilitate compliance with Department of Homeland Security regulations, "Non-procurement Suspension and Debarment," 2 C.F.R. part 3000, which adopts and supplements the Office of Management and Budget (U.S. OMB) "Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Non-procurement)," 2 C.F.R. part 180. These provisions apply to each contract at any tier of \$25,000 or more, and to each contract at any tier for a federally required audit (irrespective of the contract amount), and to each contract at any tier that must be approved by a FEMA official irrespective of the contract amount. As such, the Contractor shall verify that its principals, affiliates, and subcontractors are eligible to participate in this federally funded contract and are not presently declared by any Federal department or agency to be:

- a. Debarred from participation in any federally assisted Contract;
- b. Suspended from participation in any federally assisted Contract;
- c. Proposed for debarment from participation in any federally assisted Contract;
- d. Declared ineligible to participate in any federally assisted Contract;
- e. Voluntarily excluded from participation in any federally assisted Contract; or
- f. Disqualified from participation in any federally assisted Contract.

By signing and submitting this form, the bidder or proposer certifies as follows:

The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact relied upon by the County. If it is later determined by the County that the bidder or proposer knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to remedies available to the County, the Federal Government may pursue available remedies, including but not limited to suspension and/or debarment. The bidder or proposer agrees to comply with the requirements of 2 C.F.R. part 180, subpart C, as supplemented by 2 C.F.R. part 3000, while this offer is valid and throughout the period of any contract that may arise from this offer. The bidder or proposer further agrees to include a provision requiring such compliance in its lower tier covered transactions.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name of Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_