

Amendment 0002

Special Notice 12-SN-0010 titled “2012 OFFICE OF NAVAL RESEARCH BASIC RESEARCH CHALLENGE (BRC) – COUPLINGS – OCEAN TO SPACE OR IONOSPHERIC DRIVERS FROM BELOW”

Questions and Answers:

1. Can references be included as an appendix to the white paper beyond the four-page limit?

No. White papers should not exceed 4 single-sided pages, exclusive of cover page and resume of principal investigator. References may be included within the four page body of the white paper.

2. Must the contents of the 4-page white paper include sub-sections specifically listed as (1) through (6) as stated---versus including the information in narrative style within the document?

Yes. Sub-sections help evaluators locate important topics.

3. Are proposers at non-US institutions or proposers who are not US citizens eligible to submit white papers and proposals in response to this Special Announcement under the BAA?

Yes.

4. Can FFRDC's or government laboratories submit white papers and proposals for this program?

No, but they may team with eligible organizations. See Section III “Eligibility Information” under Broad Agency Announcement 12-001 for details.