

Argonne National Laboratory Prime Contract**Part I. Section H. Special Contract Requirements**

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Clause H.28 - Joint Research Projects

- (a) The Parties hereto have agreed that enhanced research activities and collaboration between University and Laboratory researchers would be beneficial and complementary to the mission of the Laboratory. Accordingly, \$375,000.00 of each year's performance fee earned by the Contractor during FY 00-04 will be made available for expenditure on joint research projects involving University campus-based faculty and staff and Laboratory scientific and engineering staff. If in any year the funds are not utilized for a joint research project, the unused funds will be carried over to the succeeding year for joint research projects. The University will determine the projects to be supported according to a mechanism which includes participation by researchers from both the Laboratory and the University campus.

- (b) These joint research projects will be subject to appropriate terms and conditions as agreed to by the Parties. The Contractor shall maintain, at the Laboratory and University, records regarding the utilization of joint research funds. Such funds remain the private funds of the Contractor when utilized for such joint research projects at the Laboratory and the University.