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ICOR Partners Awarded Task Order to Provide Strategic CIO Advisory Services to the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID)

Arlington Virginia, October 7, 2008 – ICOR Partners, LLC, an award-winning public sector strategy, transformation and business improvement consulting firm, announced today that it has been awarded a task order to provide strategic CIO advisory services to the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID). The task order was competed under the USAID PRIME 3.1 Program Management and Business Systems Transformation blanket purchase agreement and is valued at \$11M for a base period and one option year.

The ICOR-led team is comprised of Booz Allen Hamilton of Mclean Virginia, and American Systems Corporation of Chantilly, VA. Under the task order, ICOR and its team members will provide the full range of strategic CIO advisory services to include strategic planning, IT governance, enterprise architecture, organizational change management, earned value management and program management. The ICOR team will support multiple organizations within the USAID Office of the CIO as the organization executes its global mission.

“In our view, global economic development and projecting U.S. foreign policy around the world has never been more important”, stated Wayne Simmons, ICOR’s CEO and Managing Partner. “On behalf of our partners at Booz Allen Hamilton and American Systems, we are honored to be selected to play such a strategic role in the USAID mission”. “We are looking forward to this opportunity to continue our long-term relationship with USAID”, added Beth Bartholomew, ICOR’s Senior Vice President of Client Services. “Our team will be focused on bringing innovative solutions, experienced personnel and a deep understanding of the mission to help USAID develop and execute a strategic information technology agenda”.

About ICOR Partners, LLC

ICOR Partners, LLC is an award-winning strategy, transformation, and business improvement consulting firm serving the public sector. ICOR’s mission is to be the trusted advisor that helps public sector clients solve their toughest, most important and most complex challenges. ICOR collaborates with executives and managers to help bridge the gap between strategy and execution by delivering commercial industry practices to government along with fresh perspectives and new ideas through an integrated portfolio of management consulting services. ICOR’s clients include the

Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Department of the Treasury, Department of Education, U.S. Agency for International Development, Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Energy and the U.S. House of Representatives. ICOR is a 2007 winner of the Consulting Magazine Small Jewel Award, a member of the 2007 Inc. Magazine Inc. 500, and a 2006 winner of a Department of Homeland Security Small Business Achievement Award. Founded in 2002, ICOR is a veteran-owned small business and is headquartered in Arlington, Virginia. For more information, visit www.icorpartners.com.