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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY ENERGY

SUBJECT: Compelling Reasons Determination for the Award of an Into-Plane Fuel Contract to Air BP Ltd. for Constanta/Mihail Kogalniceanu (MK) Airport, Romania

Air BP Ltd. (Air BP) is the incumbent into-plane contractor for commercial and military specification jet fuel at MK Airport, Romania. Market research confirms that AIR BP Ltd. is the sole into-plane fuel provider at MK Airport and is the only known provider of JP8 in the Bulgaria/Romania Region. AIR BP submitted the sole offer for the follow-on requirement at the MK Airport under Solicitation No. SP0600-13-R-0209. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) suspended BP PLC and its affiliates, including Air BP on November 28, 2012 and confirmed that suspension on July 19, 2013. The suspension was extended to Air BP as an affiliate of BP PLC. Pursuant to FAR 9.405(a), DLA Energy requests authorization to award an into-plane contract to Air BP Ltd. for MK Airport, Romania.

For the reasons specified in the DLA Energy request for a Compelling Reasons Determination, I find compelling reasons for DLA Energy to award an into-plane contract to Air BP Ltd. for MK Airport, Romania and approve the request.

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