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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR OF ACQUISITION, TRICARE  
MANAGEMENT ACTIVITY

SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority to Enter into Interservice and  
Intragovernmental Support Agreements

Reference: DoD Instruction 4000.19, "Interservice and Interdepartmental  
Support," August 9, 1995

The referenced Department of Defense (DoD) Instruction implements policy and updates responsibilities and procedures for interservice and intragovernmental support agreements. As the Acting Director, TRICARE Management Activity (TMA), I have the authority to sign such support agreements with both DoD and non-DoD Federal activities and make certain determinations necessary to enter into such agreements with non-DoD Federal activities. I hereby delegate that authority when the cost of that support is less than \$500,000 to the person then holding the position of Director of Acquisitions, TRICARE Management Activity, at the Senior Executive Service level. In exercising this authority, the Director of Acquisitions shall ensure compliance with applicable DoD policy and guidance for interagency acquisitions.

This delegation of authority is effective until rescinded, either by myself or a successor serving in this position.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ellen P. Embrey".

Ellen P. Embrey  
Acting Director  
TRICARE Management Activity