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TO: Procurement Directors

- **FROM:** Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy, MA-61 Office of Procurement and Assistance Management
- **SUBJECT:** Additional Documentation Regarding Policy Flash Number 2010-04: Cease All Funding of the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN)

SUMMARY: In reference to Policy Flash 2010-04, attached is a list of the 361 known affiliates, subsidiaries, and allied organizations of the ACORN Council. Note that the word "ACORN" is not always in the name. As this list may not be all inclusive, Contracting Officers should review all available information before determining an entity is not precluded from receiving funding based on an affiliation with ACORN. This list is part of the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Oversight and Government Reform Republican Staff Report: "Is ACORN Intentionally Structured as a Criminal Enterprise?" (July 23, 2009), available at http://republicans.oversight.house.gov/images/stories/Reports/20090923ACORNreportrevised.pdf

This flash and its attachment will be available online at the following website: http://management.energy.gov/policy_guidance/policy_flashes.htm.

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