



Earned Value Management System Standard Equivalence Agreement

Government Electronics and Information Technology Association (GEIA) Systems, Standards and Technology Committee and National Defense Industrial Association Program Management Systems Committee (NDIA) are the subject matter owners for the ANSI/EIA-748-A; Earned Value Management Systems (EVMS) reaffirmed August 28, 2002.

Association for Project Management (APM) is the subject matter owner for the APM Earned Value Management (EVM) Guide dated May 2002 ISBN code 1-903494-03-6.

APM and NDIA agree:

- The EVMS Guidelines in the respective documents cited above are equivalent in their intent as of the date of this agreement.
- Both are living documents and must be revised periodically to reflect emerging program performance management practices.
- APM and NDIA will review ANSI/EIA-748-A and APM EVMS Guide every three years at a minimum and more frequently in the event of a significant change to either document in order to maintain equivalency.

APM and NDIA will publicize this agreement to Government and Industry organizations and encourage them to recognize the equivalency of ANSI/EIA 748 and APM EVM Guide in contracts, partnering agreements and other applicable business transactions.

This Equivalency Agreement for EVM Guidelines is effective commencing July 1, 2004 and remains in effect until either APM or NDIA provides written notification of withdrawal, to be effective 90 calendar days after the date of the notification.

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