The purpose of this amendment is to (1) extend the date for receipt of proposals (including QuaCCR proposals) to 4:00 PM Daylight Saving Time on Monday, March 19, 2007, (2) change the award start date for budget purposes, (3) change the date for feedback on white papers, and (4) change the notification date of acceptance of proposals. Changes are as follows:

(1) EXTEND THE DATE FOR RECEIPT OF PROPOSALS (OVERVIEW INFORMATION AND SECTION IV.C.2.)

(A) Change OVERVIEW INFORMATION, Response Dates, second sentence (Page 3) to read as follows:

“Proposals are due by 4:00 PM Daylight Saving Time on Monday, March 19, 2007.”

(B) Change Section IV.C.2.a. (Page 15) to read as follows:

“Proposals transmitted online via the Grants.gov APPLY portal must be date/time stamped by the server as submitted by 4:00 PM Daylight Saving Time on Monday, March 19, 2007.”

(C) Change Section IV.C.2.b., first sentence (Page 15) to read as follows:

“Proposals submitted electronically via e-mail to baa@arl.army.mil must be received at the Army Research Office by 4:00 PM Daylight Saving Time on Monday, March 19, 2007.”

(2) CHANGE THE AWARD START DATE FOR BUDGET PURPOSES (SECTION IV.B.2.)

Change Section IV.B.2.c.(4), fourth sentence (Page 13) to read as follows:

“For budget purposes, use an award start date of July 1, 2007 (the earliest anticipated start date for awards under this BAA).”

(3) CHANGE THE DATE FOR FEEDBACK ON WHITE PAPERS (SECTION IV.C.1.)

Change Section IV.C.1., White Papers, second paragraph (Page 15) to read as follows:

“Feedback on the white papers will be e-mailed directly to the proposed principal investigators on or about January 31, 2007.”

(4) CHANGE THE NOTIFICATION DATE OF ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSALS (SECTION VI.A.)

Change Section VI.A., Award Notices, first paragraph (Page 16) to read as follows:

“Notification of acceptance of proposals will be mailed or e-mailed by ARO to successful offerors on or about April 30, 2007. Unsuccessful offerors will be notified shortly thereafter.”