## CERTIFICATION REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE FEDERAL ANTI-DISCRIMINATION LAW

All Department of State contractors must certify that they do not operate any programs promoting DEI that violate any applicable anti-discrimination laws and agree that such certification is material for purposes of the government's payment decision and therefore subject to the False Claims Act. See 31 U.S.C. 3729(b)(4).

## **DIRECTIONS FOR CONTRACTORS and/or OFFERORS**

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- 1.Read the entire certification provided below.
- 2. After you have read the provisions, please check the appropriate boxes.
- 3.Upon completion of Step 2, fill out the representation below. *NOTE: This certification is made by a person with the authority to bind the contractor or offeror.*
- 4.Return completed form to the Contracting Officer/POC shown in the e-mail.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The Contractor or prospective offeror certifies they:
are in compliance in all respects with all applicable Federal anti-discrimination laws is material to the government's payment decisions for purposes of section 31 USC 3729(b)(4) (False Claims Act); and
do not operate any programs promoting Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion that violate any applicable Federal anti-discrimination laws.
Contractor or Offeror Name (Printed or Typed):
Authorized Representative Name and Title:
Authorized Representative Signature and Date:
Solicitation or Contract Number: