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Ms. Emily Harman is the Director, Office of Small Business Programs (OSBP) for the Department of the Navy (DON) serving as chief advisor to the Secretary on all small business matters. She is responsible for small business acquisition policy and strategic initiatives.

Ms. Harman joined the Secretary of the Navy staff as member of the Senior Executive Service in August 2015 and has over 30 years of federal service. Prior to receiving this appointment, she served as associate director of the Naval Air Systems Command's (NAVAIR) OSBP from November 2005 to August 2015.

Ms. Harman's previous experience includes serving as a division director in the Major Weapons System for Air-Antisubmarine Warfare, Assault, Special Mission Programs Contracts Department and as the Multi-Mission Helicopters Program Office's (PMA-299) contracting officer. Ms. Harman has NAVAIR experience as a services contracting officer, as well as contracting officer for the AV-8B Weapon Systems Program Office (PMA-257).

Prior to joining NAVAIR in 1997, Ms. Harman served as a contracting officer for the Naval Supply Systems Command's (NAVSUP) Fleet and Industrial Supply Center (FISC), Norfolk Detachment Washington. Ms. Harman served as a supply corps officer in the Navy from 1985- 1992 and retired from the Naval Reserves. She served onboard the USS Emory S. Land (AS-39) and earned the Supply Corps Surface Warfare pin. Her other duty stations include: Supreme Allied Command Atlantic, Commander in Chief U. S. Atlantic Fleet, United States Naval Academy, and FISC Norfolk Detachment Washington.

Ms. Harman is a member of the DoD Acquisition Professional Community and is Level III certified in Contracting. A Certified Professional Contracts Manager through the National Contract Management Association, she holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Science from the United States Naval Academy, and a Master's degree in Management/Acquisition and Contract Management from the Florida Institute of Technology.

Ms. Harman is a graduate of NAVSUP's Corporate Management Development Program, NAVAIR's Senior Executive Leadership Development Program, the Federal Executive Institute, and the DON's Executive Leadership Program. Ms. Harman has a number of personal and command decorations including the DON's Superior Civilian Service Medal, DON's Meritorious Civilian Service Medal, DON's FY2010 Acquisition Excellence Award, and the 2015 Public Servant Award from the St. Mary's County Chamber of Commerce. Ms. Harman is a member of Leadership Southern Maryland's Class of 2010.