

919.7011 Developmental assistance.

(a) The forms of developmental assistance a Mentor may provide to a Protege include, but are not limited to—

- (1) Management guidance relating to—
 - (i) Financial management,
 - (ii) Organizational management,
 - (iii) Overall business management planning,
 - (iv) Business development, and
 - (v) Marketing assistance;
- (2) Engineering and other technical assistance;
- (3) Noncompetitive award of subcontracts under DOE or other Federal contracts where otherwise authorized;
- (4) Award of subcontracts in the Mentor's commercial activities;
- (5) Progress payments based on costs;
- (6) Rent-free use of facilities and/or equipment owned or leased by Mentor; and
- (7) Temporary assignment of Mentor personnel to the Protege for purposes of training.

(b) Costs incurred by a Mentor to provide developmental assistance, as described in paragraph (a) of this section, are allowable only to the extent provided at 919.7003(b).

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