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*DCAA Makes Presentation to Defense Contractors*

MIDDLETOWN, RHODE ISLAND, May 10, 2012—The Rhode Island Chapter of the National Contract Management Association (NCMA) hosted a luncheon presentation by Mr. Ronald C. Meldonian, Northeastern Regional Director of the Defense Contract Audit Agency (DCAA) at the Atlantic Beach Club, in Middletown Rhode Island to over 70 attendees from dozens of local defense contractors. DCAA is responsible for providing audit services and financial advice to all Department of Defense agencies to assist them in achieving fair and reasonable contract prices. The presentation provided insight into DCAA’s vision, objectives, priorities and challenges for the coming year Mr. Meldonian also addressed how local DOD contractors could help to facilitate more timely audits.

“This was an exceptional presentation,” according to Richard Cambra, President of NCMA RI and Program Manager, McLaughlin Research Corporation, Middletown, RI. David Horne, Vice President of Programs NCMA RI and Sr. Vice President of Applied Physical Sciences Corporation, Groton, CT, said, “This topic was timely for our defense contracting community. We look forward to presenting more speakers of this caliber in the coming year.”

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