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**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
OFFICE OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
NEPA DETERMINATION**



RECIPIENT: [Cirba Solutions, LLC](#)

STATE: [SC](#)

**PROJECT
TITLE :** [Cirba Solutions: South Carolina Facility](#)

Notice of Funding Opportunity Number **Procurement Instrument Number** **NEPA Control Number** **CID Number**
[DE-FOA-0003099](#)

Based on my review of the information concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (authorized under DOE Policy 451.1), I have made the following determination:

CX, EA, EIS APPENDIX AND NUMBER:
Description:

Rationale for determination:

[Part 1021 Subpart D Appendix A1, A8, A9, and A10](#)

NEPA PROVISION

DOE has made a conditional NEPA determination.

The NEPA Determination applies to the following Topic Areas, Budget Periods, and/or tasks:

[Task 0.0 Project Management and Planning; Task 0.1 Kick-Off Meeting; Task 0.2 Community Benefits Plan; Task 0.3 Cybersecurity Plan](#)
[BUDGET PERIOD 1: First Mechanical Processing Plant Design](#)
[Task 1.1 NEPA Environmental Assessment; Task 1.2 Hydrometallurgical Plant; Task 1.3 Site Infrastructure](#)

The NEPA Determination does not apply to the following Topic Area, Budget Periods, and/or tasks:

[Budget Periods 2, 3, and 4](#)

FOR CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION DETERMINATIONS

A portion of the proposed action is categorically excluded from further NEPA review. The NEPA Provision identifies Topic Areas, Budget Periods, tasks, and/or subtasks that are subject to additional NEPA review.

SIGNATURE OF THIS MEMORANDUM CONSTITUTES A RECORD OF THIS DECISION.

NEPA Compliance Officer Signature:  [Harry Taylor](#)
NEPA Compliance Officer

Date: [10/28/2024](#)

FIELD OFFICE MANAGER DETERMINATION

- ☒ Field Office Manager review not required
☐ Field Office Manager review required

BASED ON MY REVIEW I CONCUR WITH THE DETERMINATION OF THE NCO :

Field Office Manager's Signature: _____
Field Office Manager

Date: _____

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