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SUBJECT: Procurement Questions Relevant to the Buy American Provision

TO: State Directors
Child Nutrition Programs
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Recently, we have received a number of questions regarding the Buy American provision applicable to our National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs. Attached are the most recently received questions and answers. As in the past, please share these questions and answers with your State agencies and request that they provide this information to their school food authorities. If you have any questions, please contact your regional office.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Stanley C. Garnett".

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Attachment

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