## COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Truth in Testimony Disclosure

Pursuant to clause 2(g)(5) of House Rule XI, in the case of a witness appearing in a nongovernmental capacity, a written statement of proposed testimony shall include: (1) a curriculum vitae; and (2) a disclosure of the amount and source (by agency and program) of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof) received during the current fiscal year or either of the two previous fiscal years by the witness or by an entity represented by the witness. Such statements, with appropriate redaction to protect the privacy of the witness, shall be made publicly available in electronic form not later than one day after the witness appears.

(1) Name: Bill Vass			
(2) Other than yourself, name of entity you are representing: Liquid	Robotics, Inc.		
(3) Are you testifying on behalf of an entity other than a Government YES If yes, please provide the information requested attach your curriculum vitae.			
NO			
(4) Please list the amount and source (by agency and program) of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof) received during the current fiscal year or either of the two previous fiscal years by you or by the entity you are representing: See attached			
Signature (	7-29-13 Date		

Liquid Robotics, Inc.
Federal Grants and Subcontracts
Received during the government fiscal year October 1, 2012- July 25, 2013

Contract Number	Source	Agency	Total Contract Amount
N66001-12-P-6742	SPAWAR	Dept of Navy	4,798
N66001-13-P-7761	SPAWAR	Dept of Navy	77,733
EA-133W-13-SU-0057	NOAA/ERAD	NOAA	19,185
N62306-13-P-7011	Naval Oceanographic Office	Dept of Navy	83,120
N66001-13-P-6580	SPAWAR	Dept of Navy	15,700
N00014-12-M-0222	Office of Naval Research	Dept of Navy	69,967
HHM402-13-C-0019	Virginia Contracting Activity	Dept of Defense	300,000
FA9453-13-C-0035 WE-133R-12-SU-1000	ASTRA Pacific Marine Environmental Lab	Air Force NOAA	84,361 8,944
N66001-13-C-3000 EA-133W-13-SU-0526	SPAWAR  National Data Buoy Center	Dept of Navy	148,431 8,000
		Total	\$820,239



## Bill Vass

## **President & Chief Executive Officer Liquid Robotics**

Bill Vass is the president and chief executive officer of Liquid Robotics, Inc., an ocean data services provider company serving a wide range of customers in the energy, shipping, environmental, intelligence, communications, scientific, fisheries, and defense markets.

Mr. Vass brings more than 30 years of commercial and U.S. government information technology executive leadership experience to Liquid Robotics.

Previously, Mr. Vass was the president and chief operating officer of Sun Microsystems' \$1.4B federal subsidiary. Before Sun Federal, Mr. Vass served as chief information officer of

Sun Microsystems, as well as Sun's chief information security officer.

Prior to Sun, Mr. Vass worked in the Office of the Secretary of Defense Office of the CIO where he was responsible for all acquisition and development, research and development, and consolidated software development and commercial off-the-shelf integration standards for more than 6,800 IT systems with a \$35.5B budget. He was also responsible for the Pentagon's IT environment, managing networks, servers, and applications across the defense networks. While at OSD, Mr. Vass was the technical lead for the entire Department of Defense Y2K program.

Prior to joining the Office of the CIO, Mr. Vass was CTO and technical lead for the U.S. Army personnel systems worldwide.

Before his work in the DoD, Mr. Vass developed large scale IT engineering and business systems solutions for the oil and gas industry, defense systems integrators, and ocean engineering.