## ADENDUM TO SUMMARY OF MEETING THREE OF THE NCFS

Meeting three summary inaccurately states that Dr. Thompson recommended that the Attorney General could issue guidelines on human factors similar to those issued regarding eyewitness identification. The record should reflect that it was Dr. Dror who actually made the recommendation, which was supported by Dr. Thompson in his own presentation.

Reference Recommendation 1.4 in Dr. Dror's list of proposed recommendations. See list below:

## ACTIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. Context management
  - 1.1 NIST/NIJ (via OSAC) standards, guidelines, best practices
- 1.2 Tool kit ("The Contextual Management Tool kit" -blind verification, sequential unmasking, linear comparison, case managers, lineups, etc.)
  - 1.3 How & when to use
    - 1.3.1 Triage (the 'bias danger zone')
    - 1.3.2 What is relevant/irrelevant, how important it is, and the biasing effect
    - 1.3.3 What is a difficult decision
  - 1.4 Attorney General Guidelines on Cognitive Bias
    - 1.4.1 For forensic labs
    - 1.4.2 For jurors
- 2. Training
  - 2.1 For Forensic examiners –Serious Educational Programs
    - 2.1.1 For new examiners, as part of their basic training
    - 2.1.2 For existing examiners
  - 2.2 For attorneys (both prosecutors & defense), as well as Judges

## 3. Research

- 3.1 Continued support from NIST & NIJ on these specific issues
- 3.2. Involve psychologists (e.g., via NSF psychology & law)