PSM Revised Guidance Review Workshop



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Restatement of Objectives

- Summarize what's new
- Resolve outstanding comments from review cycle
- Resolve remaining technical issues
- Identify major issues for elaboration or inclusion

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Summary

- Resolved High Priority Review Comments
- Extensive Review of New Material
 - Evaluating and Improving Measurement
 Program (Part 7)
- No Outstanding Major Technical Issues Identified

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Practical Software and Systems Measurement (PSM) Conclusions, Recommendations, and Results

- Retitled Guide to Reflect Expanded Scope
- Major Terminology Clarified
- More Complex Business Relationships
 - Roles of acquirer, developer, supplier
- I-C-M Structure Examined
 - Several categories renamed for closer identification with commercial standards
 - Recommendations to add 4 new measures
 - Recommendation to merge 2 test measures

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Practical Software and Systems Measurement (PSM) Conclusions, Recommendations, and Results

- Provide Considerations to Measures in Part 3 vice Adding New Measures
- Considerable Changes to Part 7 Based on Active Review

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Next Steps/Action Items

- Accept Review Comments Until 8/31/99
- New Category/Measure Materials by 8/31
- Additional Indicators by 8/31
- Publish 4.x by end CY 99

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