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Pivotal Insight PART Study Cited in Federal Times

WASHINGTON, DC— February 14, 2005— Pivotal Insight, a research and consulting firm providing government decision makers with intelligence to improve performance and increase return on investment, was featured in an article in the Federal Times on February 14, 2005. The article, entitled “Performance Ratings Increasingly Decide Programs’ Fate,” references Pivotal Insight’s June report on PART.

The article focuses on the Education Department’s National Writing Project and 150 other programs that the Bush administration is proposing to eliminate or sharply cut funding for next year, the role of performance measurement on these decisions, and the emerging role of PART.

The article cites Pivotal’s finding that PART scores do not always reflect program performance, and that budget decisions are often driven by other factors such as politics and world events.

The Federal Times article is located at <http://federaltimes.com/index.php?S=654634>

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