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MEMORANDUM FOR SECRETARIES OF THE MILITARY DEPARTMENTS
DIRECTOR, ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT
DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (INSTALLATIONS & ENVIRONMENT)

SUBJECT: Policy for Unique Identification (UID) of Real Property Sites and Assets

Unique Identification (UID) of assets, including real property assets, is a cornerstone of DoD Business Transformation. Real property UID will enable real property data linkage across business areas to help achieve the AT&L vision of linking real property, personal property and people – any place, any time and anywhere.

I direct the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Installations and Environment) (DUSD(I&E)) to establish a real property asset and site unique identification registry and achieve interim operating capability for site level detail no later than December 31, 2005. I also direct the DUSD(I&E) to develop guidance for the integration of geospatial information with the registry.

The Military Departments and Washington Headquarters Services shall ensure that their real property program managers begin planning now for real property UID implementation in their inventory systems. This includes both real property site unique identifiers and real property asset unique identifiers.

Current real property unique identification information is available from the Real Property Inventory Requirements document posted on the DUSD(I&E) website. My points of contact for this effort are Ms Lora Muchmore (Lora.Muchmore@osd.mil) and Mr. Craig Adams (Craig.Adams@osd.mil).

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