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MEMORANDUM FOR PROGRAM EXECUTIVE, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF
NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL GEOSPATIAL AGENCY
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY

SUBJECT: Reporting Contract Actions to the Federal Procurement Data System (FPDS)

This memo extends the waiver to report unclassified contract actions (Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 4.6) to FPDS provided to the National Geospatial Agency and Defense Intelligence Agency on October 17, 2008, and establishes the same waiver for the National Security Agency. I appreciate the on-going concerns that reporting these actions individually to the publicly accessible website could provide unacceptable risk of insight to your individual missions and budgets due to the detail of the data required. There is no solution available today to deliver the data outside of the secure network environment.

This waiver is active for contract actions awarded in FY10-15 by your organizations. It is understood that the Intelligence Community, being led by the Office of Defense National Intelligence, is working to identify and implement a secure reporting capability for its actions. This waiver may be revoked prior to the start of FY16 should this reporting capability be deployed in an earlier timeframe.

As before, the agencies identified must internally maintain metrics that ensure tracking your achievement of socio-economic goals and competition statistics, at a minimum, is accomplished and provided to DPAP and the Office of Small Business Programs (OSBP) as requested. The identified agencies shall each provide a summary number of unclassified contract actions awarded (e.g., contracts, delivery orders, modifications) and their total dollars obligated to DPAP for the prior fiscal year by December 15, 2010-2016. My action officer for this effort and FPDS is Lisa Romney, 703-602-8007, lisa.romney@osd.mil.

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