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SUBJECT: Defense Treaty Inspection Readiness Program (DTIRP)

On 22 August 1990, the Defense Contractor Inspection Readiness Program (DCIRP) was established by the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Security Policy). Last year, direction of the program was transferred to the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Command, Control Communications and Intelligence), and also retitled the Defense Treaty Inspection Readiness Program (DTIRP) in recognition of its expanded activities. Its continuing mission is to assist the government and contractor community in providing counterintelligence and security countermeasures (CI&SCM) support in connection with inspection of U.S. facilities under arms control treaties.

With implementation of the START Treaty anticipated in the near future and other arms control initiatives well underway, it is necessary to ensure the continued viability of what has been a very successful program. To that end, the Director, On-Site Inspection Agency (OSIA) will continue as the lead agency in planning and executing DTIRP operations. This will not require the assignment of additional personnel to OSIA, but may require a level of logistic support based on agreements with other DoD Components.

The Director, Defense Intelligence Agency, the Director, National Security Agency, and the Director, Defense Investigative Service shall continue their support of the DTIRP, with the Defense Intelligence Agency serving as the focal point for intelligence support to the DTIRP. The Director, OSIA is authorized to enter into Memoranda of Agreement (MOA) with these agencies as necessary, delineating the specific details of support required. The Director, OSIA also may establish MOAs with the Federal Bureau
of Investigation, which should continue to serve as the CI and HUMINT focal point for DTIRP matters, and with other Federal agencies, the Military Departments and other DoD components, as necessary.

The Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Counterintelligence and Security Countermeasures) shall continue to provide CI&SCM policy direction for the DTIRP activities.

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