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MEMORANDUM FOR CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF
UNDER SECRETARIES OF DEFENSE
DEPUTY CHIEF MANAGEMENT OFFICER
COMMANDERS OF THE COMBATANT COMMANDS
ASSISTANT SECRETARIES OF DEFENSE
GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
DIRECTOR, OPERATIONAL TEST AND EVALUATION
DIRECTOR, COST ASSESSMENT AND PROGRAM
EVALUATION
INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
ASSISTANTS TO THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
DIRECTOR, ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT
DIRECTOR, NET ASSESSMENT
DIRECTORS OF THE DEFENSE AGENCIES
DIRECTORS OF THE DOD FIELD ACTIVITIES

SUBJECT: Delegation of Top Secret Original Classification Authority

The incumbents of the positions identified in the attached listing are hereby authorized to exercise Top Secret original classification authority in accordance with Executive Order 13526, "Classified National Security Information." This memorandum supersedes previous delegations.

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Attachment:
As stated



ORIGINAL TOP SECRET CLASSIFICATION AUTHORITIES

(Corrected copy as of: June 1, 2011)

Office of the Secretary of Defense (SecDef)

Secretary of Defense
Deputy Secretary of Defense
Special Assistant to the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense
Executive Secretary

Under Secretary of Defense for Policy

Under Secretary of Defense for Policy
Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Policy
Chief of Staff
Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency
Deputy Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency
Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Strategy, Plans and Forces
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict
and Interdependent Capabilities)
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Special Operations and Low
Intensity Conflict and Interdependent Capabilities)
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Global Strategic Affairs)
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Asian and Pacific Security Affairs)
Principal Deputy ASD (Asian and Pacific Security Affairs)
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Homeland Defense and Americas' Security
Affairs)
Principal Deputy ASD (Homeland Defense and Americas' Security Affairs)
Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs)
Principal Deputy ASD (International Security Affairs)

Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology & Logistics)

Under Secretary of Defense (Intelligence)

Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness)

Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)

Assistant Secretaries of Defense

Assistant Secretary of Defense (Health Affairs)
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs)
Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Intelligence Oversight)
Assistant Secretary of Defense for Networks and Information Integration/DoD CIO

ORIGINAL TOP SECRET CLASSIFICATION AUTHORITIES**General Counsel of the Department of Defense**

General Counsel
 Principal Deputy General Counsel
 Deputy General Counsel, International Affairs
 Deputy General Counsel, Intelligence

Inspector General of the Department of Defense**Director, Administration and Management, Washington Headquarters Services****Director, Operational Test and Evaluation (OT&E)****Director, Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation (CAPE)****Director, Net Assessment****Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS)**

Chairman, JCS (CJCS)
 Vice Chairman, JCS (VCJCS)
 Assistant to the Chairman, JCS (ACJCS)
 Director, Joint Staff (DJS)
 Vice Director, Joint Staff (VDJS)
 Director for Manpower and Personnel (DJ1)
 Director of Intelligence (DJ2) - **Position maintained by DIA**
 Vice Director of Intelligence (VDJ2) – **Position maintained by DIA**
 Director for Operations (DJ3)
 Vice Director for Operations (VDJ3)
 Deputy Director Special Operations (DDSO)
 Director for Logistics (DJ4)
 Director for Strategy Plans and Policy (DJ5)
 Vice Director for Strategy Plans and Policy (VDJ5)
 Chief of Staff, Directorate for Strategic Plans and Policy
 Director for Command, Control, Communications, & Computer (C4) Systems (DJ6)
 Vice Director for C4 Systems (VDJ6)
 Director for Operational Plans and Joint Force Development (DJ7)
 Vice Director for Operational Plans and Joint Force Development (VDJ7)
 Director for Force Structure, Resources, and Assessment (DJ8)
 Vice Director for Force Structure, Resources, and Requirements (VDJ8)

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)

ORIGINAL TOP SECRET CLASSIFICATION AUTHORITIES**Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA)**

Director (DR)
 Deputy Director (DD)
 Chief of Staff (CS)
 Chief, Financial Executive (FE)
 Deputy Director for Intelligence (J2)
 Deputy Director, Analysis (DI)
 Deputy Director for Human Intelligence (DH)
 Deputy Director for MASINT and Technical Collection (DT)
 Deputy Director for Directorate for Information Management and Chief
 Information Officer (DS)
 The Defense Attachés (DAO) (**Total of 137**)
 Director, National Media Exploitation Center (NMEC)
 Chief, National MASINT Management Office (NM)

Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA)

Director, DISA
 Vice Director, DISA
 Chief of Staff, DISA
 Principal Director for GIG Operations (GO)

Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA)

Director, DTRA
 Deputy Director, DTRA

Director, Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)**Director, Missile Defense Agency (MDA)****Director, National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)****National Security Agency (NSA)**

Director, NSA/Chief, Central Security Service
 Deputy Director, NSA
 Director's Chief of Staff
 Director's Deputy Chief of Staff
 SIGINT Director
 SIGINT Chief of Staff
 SIGINT Directorate Deputy Chief for SIGINT Policy and Corporate Issues
 SIGINT Directorate Associate Deputy Chief for SIGINT Policy and Corporate Issues
 Deputy Director for Analysis and Production

ORIGINAL TOP SECRET CLASSIFICATION AUTHORITIES

Deputy Director for Data Acquisition
 Chief, Information Sharing Services
 Chief, Cryptanalysis and Exploitation Services
 Director, National Security Operations Center (NSOC)
 Director NSA/CSS Threat Operations Center (NTOC)
 Information Assurance Director
 Information Assurance Technical Director
 Associate Director for Community Integration, Policy and Records
 Deputy Associate Director for Policy and Records
 Associate Director for Security and Counterintelligence
 Technology Director
 Director for Foreign Affairs
 Associate Director for Installations and Logistics

National Reconnaissance Office (NRO)

Director
 Principal Deputy Director
 Deputy Director
 Director, Imagery Intelligence Systems Acquisition Directorate
 Director, Signals Intelligence Systems Acquisition Directorate
 Director, Communications Systems Acquisition and Operations Directorate
 Director, Advanced Systems and Technology
 Director, Mission Operations Directorate
 Director, Special Communications Office
 Director, Ground Enterprise Directorate
 Director, Office of Security and Counterintelligence
 Director, Office of Space Launch
 Director, Mission Support Directorate

President, National Defense University (NDU)**United States Africa Command (USAFRICOM)**

Commander
 Deputy to the Commander for Military Operations
 Deputy to the Commander for Civil Military Activities
 Chief of Staff

United States Central Command (USCENTCOM)

Commander
 Deputy Commander and Chief of Staff

ORIGINAL TOP SECRET CLASSIFICATION AUTHORITIES

United States European Command (USEUCOM)

Commander
Deputy Commander
Chief of Staff

United States Joint Forces Command (USJFCOM)

Commander
Deputy Commander
Chief of Staff

Commander, NORAD and United States Northern Command (USNORTHCOM)

United States Pacific Command (USPACOM)

Commander
Deputy Commander
Chief of Staff
Foreign Policy Advisor (Granted by Department of State)
Commander, US Forces Japan
Commander, US Forces Korea

United States Special Operations Command (USSOCOM)

Commander
Deputy Commander
Commander, Joint Special Operations Command

United States Southern Command (USSOUTHCOM)

Commander
Military Deputy Commander
Chief of Staff

United States Strategic Command (USSTRATCOM)

Commander (J0CC)
Deputy Commander (J0CD)

United States Transportation Command (USTRANSCOM)

Commander (TCCC)
Deputy Commander (TCDC)

ORIGINAL TOP SECRET CLASSIFICATION AUTHORITIES

United States Cyber Command (USCYBERCOM)

Commander
Deputy Commander