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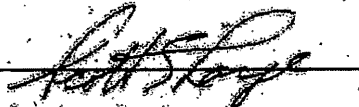
MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE  
PRINCIPAL DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL  
INTELLIGENCE

SUBJECT: (S//REL) Declassification of the "Fact-of" National  
Reconnaissance Office Radar Satellite  
Reconnaissance

REFERENCE: (U) ODNI Memorandum, Subject: SAB, 15 Oct 2007

(S//REL) The referenced memorandum authorized the Director, National Reconnaissance Office (NRO) to declassify the "Fact-of" NRO Radar Satellite Reconnaissance. However, prior to declassification and implementation, the NRO was to provide the Director of National Intelligence (DNI) with a fully coordinated implementation plan that includes [redacted] and a comprehensive notification process for informing Congress, relevant agencies, and Departments of the U.S. Government and [redacted]. The attachment to this memorandum provides our implementation plan that includes the items above.

(S//REL) Recommendation: DNI Concur with the attached detailed implementation plan to declassify the "Fact-of" NRO Radar Satellite Reconnaissance. To allow sufficient time to complete the comprehensive notification process and disseminate written security guidance and parameters, an effective date for all parties will be 60 days from the date of DNI concurrence. During the implementation period, all current classification rules will remain in effect.

  
Scott F. Large

Attachment:

(S//REL) Implementation Plan for the Declassification of  
the "Fact-of Radar Satellite Reconnaissance

Concur:

J. M. McConnell  
Director of National Intelligence

Date

DECL ON: 25X1, 205802XX, RRG dated July 2005  
DER FROM NRO Classification Guide 6.0.21 May 2005

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Actions to Implement "Fact Of" NRO Radar Satellite Reconnaissance

Planned Action Date	Required Actions	OPR	Addressees	Who notifies whom
30 April 2008	DNRO Note posted on BYWAY	DAS	NMIS	Director's Note
1-16 May 2008	Notification memorandum	IMINT/BPO	IC agencies, National Security Council, USD(I), USAF select commands, NASA	DNRO signed memorandum
1-16 May 2008	Notification memorandum	IMINT/BPO/LL	SSCI, SASC, SAC, HAC, HASC, HPSCI	DNRO signed memorandum
1-16 May 2008	Notification memorandum	BPO/OSC/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	DNRO signed memorandum
1-16 May 2008	Notification message	OS&CI/MSD/PB and T&E	All contractors [REDACTED] capability	D/OS&CI signed message
1-16 May 2008	Notification email	OS&CI/MSD/PB and Training and Education	All contractors [REDACTED] capability	D/OS&CI email
6, 13, 20, 27 May & 3 June	Did You Know & Announcements	OS&CI/Info Mgmt	BYWAY	D/OS&CI authorized
8 May 2008	Frequently Asked Questions on Security Homepage	OS&CI/Info Mgmt	Available to NMIS users	OS&CI to all users of OS&CI website
6 May to 9 June	Poster Display (continuous)	OS&CI/Info Mgmt	Population in building [REDACTED]	OS&CI to NRO population
6 May 2008	Did You Know announcement	OS&CI/Info Mgmt	NGA/OIP	NGA/OIP to NGA population
5-30 May 2008	Update NRO/IMINT class guides	OS&CI/PB/IMINT	N/A	N/A
9 June 2008	Post updated guides	IMINT Security and OS&CI/PB	BYWAY and Intelink	BYWAY and Intelink users
9 June 2008	Effective Date - BYWAY announcement and Unclassified flyer handout	OS&CI/Info Mgmt	NRO population	OS&CI/Info Mgmt
Continuous	Answer queries from government, IC [REDACTED]	OS&CI, IMINT, BPO/OSC/[REDACTED]	Requestor	Appropriate office
Continuous	Answer queries from media	BPO/OSC/OCC	Requestor	BPO/OSC/OCC
5 May - 30 June	Monitor implementation practices	OS&CI/IMINT	N/A	N/A

Points of Contact: OS&CI/Policy Branch: [REDACTED]

IMINT Security: [REDACTED]

BPO/OSC/ [REDACTED]

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