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Subj: EXTENSION TO CLASS DEVIATION--NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY PROGRAM OPERATING MANUAL

Encl: (1) OUSD DP(DAR) memo of 30 May 1996

Enclosure (1) is forwarded for immediate implementation.

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SUBJECT: Extension to Class Deviation—National Industrial Security
Program Operating Manual

I extend the authority for all military departments and defense agencies to use the attached text and clause that replaces all references to the DoD Industrial Security Manual for Safeguarding Classified Information (DoD 5220.22-M) with the National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual (NISPOM).

The National Industrial Security Program was established by Executive Order 12819. The operating manual for the program replaces the DoD Industrial Security Manual.

I am extending the class deviation until the FAR is revised.

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Attachments
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In reply refer to
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PART 4—ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

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SUBPART 4.4—SAFE-GUARDING CLASSIFIED INFORMATION WITHIN INDUSTRY

4.401 Definitions.

No change.

4.402 General.


(b) The Department of Defense (DOD) has incorporated [National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual (NISPOM) incorporates] the requirements of these Executive Orders into the Defense Industrial Security Program (DISP), administered by the Defense Investigative Service, 1900 Half Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20301. The Secretary of Defense, in consultation with all affected agencies and with the concurrence of the Secretary of Energy, the Chairman of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Director of Central Intelligence, is responsible for issuance and maintenance of this Manual. The following DOD publications implement the program:

[(1) National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual (NISPOM) (DOD 5220.22-M)]

[(2) Industrial Security Regulation (ISR) (DOD 5220.22-R)].

((3) Industrial Security Manual for Safeguarding Classified Information (ISM) (DOD 5220.22-M)).

(c) Procedures for the protection of information relating to foreign classified contracts awarded to U.S. industry, and instructions for the protection of U.S. information relating to classified contracts awarded to foreign fins, are prescribed in Section VIII of the ISR [Chapter 10 of the NISPOM].

(d) No change.

4.403 Responsibilities of contracting officers.

(2) No change.

(1) No change.

(i) Determine if the agency is covered by the D[N]ISP; and

(ii) No change.
(2) No change.
(b) No change.
(1) Ensure that the classified acquisition is conducted as required by the D[N]ISP or agency procedures, as appropriate; and
(2) No change.
(c) No change.
(1) Agencies covered by the D[N]ISP shall use the Contract Security Classification Specification, DD Form 254. The contracting officer, or authorized representative, is the approving official for the form and shall ensure that it is prepared and distributed in accordance with Section VII of the ISR.
(2) Contracting officers in agencies not covered by the D[N]ISP shall follow agency procedures.

4.404 Contract clause.
(a) through (c) - No change.
(d) If the contracting officer is not covered by the D[N]ISP and has prescribed a clause and alternates that are substantially the same as those at 52.204-2, the contracting officer shall use the agency-prescribed clause as required by agency procedures.

PART 27--PATENTS, DATA, AND COPYRIGHTS

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SUBPART 27.2--PATENTS

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27.297 Classified contracts.

27.207-1 General.
(a) No change.
(b) Upon receipt from the Contractor of a patent application, not yet filed, that has been submitted by the contractor in compliance with paragraph (a) or (b) of the clause at 52.227-10, Filing of Patent Applications-Classified Subject Matter, the contracting officer shall ascertain the proper security classification of the patent application. Upon a determination that the application contains classified subject matter, the contracting officer shall inform the contractor of any instructions deemed necessary or advisable relating to transmittal of the application to the United States Patent Office in accordance with procedures in the Department of Defense Industrial Security [National Industrial Security Program Operating] Manual for Safeguarding Classified Security Information. If the material is classified "Secret" or higher, the contracting officer shall make every effort to notify the contractor of the determination within 30 days, pursuant to paragraph (a) of the clause.
PART 52-SOLICITATION PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT CLAUSES

52.204-2 Security Requirements
As prescribed in 4.404(a), insert the following clause in solicitations and contracts when the contract may require access to classified information unless the conditions specified in 4.404(d) apply:

SECURITY REQUIREMENTS (xxx 1995)

(a) No change.
(b) The Contractor shall comply with (1) the Security Agreement ('DD Form 441), including the Department of Defense (National) Industrial Security (Program Operating) Manual for Safeguarding Classified Information (DOD 5220.22-M), and (2) any revisions to that manual, notice of which has been furnished to the Contractor.
(c) No change.
(d) No change.

(End of clause)
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