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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, NORTH AMERICAN AEROSPACE DEFENSE
COMMAND

SUBJECT: Clarification to Controlled Unclassified Information Policy Regarding Disclosures
to Members of Foreign Governments

- References: (a) NORAD Memorandum, "NORAD waiver request to DoDI 5200.48
requirements," April 12, 2021.
(b) Executive Order 13556, "Controlled Unclassified Information," November 4,
2010
(c) 32 CFR Part 2002, "Controlled Unclassified Information," September 14, 2016
(d) DoDI 5200.48, "Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI)," March 6, 2020

In response to reference (a) and in accordance with references (b) and (c), the national CUI Program implemented across the Department of Defense in reference (d) establishes the authority of authorized holders of CUI to share such information with anyone to further a lawful government purpose unless specifically restricted by a Limited Dissemination Control (LDC). Accordingly, NORAD and other authorized holders of CUI may share CUI with representatives of foreign governments, including the Government of Canada, to further a lawful Government purpose unless it is marked "NOFORN," contains a "REL TO" that does not include Canada, is restricted to a specific "Dissemination List ONLY," or is not otherwise prohibited by law.

As the DoD Senior Program Manager for CUI and Defense Security Executive, I want to share my thanks and appreciation to you and your staff for highlighting the need to clarify specific provisions in reference (d) that will improve everyone's understanding and compliance with DoD's CUI policy. These changes will further support DoD's phased implementation of the CUI Program.

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