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MEMORANDUM FOR SENIOR PENTAGON LEADERSHIP
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SUBJECT: Reduction of Mandatory Controlled Unclassified Information Training
Requirements to Restore Mission Focus

As part of the Secretary of War's commitment to enable warfighters to focus on their mission, the frequency of the mandatory controlled unclassified information (CUI) training is changed from an annual to biennial requirement.

To ensure implementation, I direct the Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency to immediately update the Department-wide CUI training to reflect this change. Additionally, all DoW Components must update:

- Training systems to reflect the new biennial requirement.
- Internal training material to reflect the biennial requirement.
- Internal policy and regulations to ensure in depth knowledge ability at onboarding in support of the reduced refresher training periodicity.

The forthcoming update to the DoDI 5200.48, "Controlled Unclassified Information," incorporates this change. My point of contact for this issue and all follow-on actions is the Chief, Information Security Accountability, Devin Casey at osd.pentagon.rsrmgmt.list.ousd-intel-infosec-mbx@mail.mil or (703) 692-8970.

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