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## ANNEX F

### (U) CHANGES AND REVISIONS

(U) Annex C, Section I: Previously, SIGINT resource information was UNCLASSIFIED if the information was 25 years or older but SECRET if less than 25 years old. It is now SECRET for all timeframes.

(20010212) \_\_\_\_\_

(U) Annex C, Section I: Previously, the total personnel strength of the cryptologic community, NSA/CSS or SCEs was UNCLASSIFIED if the information was 25 years or older but CONFIDENTIAL if less than 25 years old. It is now CONFIDENTIAL for all timeframes.

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(U) Annex C, Section F: Changed:

**(U) The fact of NSA presence in Bad Aibling Station to UNCLASSIFIED from UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO**

(20010212) \_\_\_\_\_

(U) Annex C, Section I addition:

**(U) The total number of civilian employees at NSA W is UNCLASSIFIED.** Note: As of January 2001, this figure was approximately 13,475. Therefore, it is UNCLASSIFIED to say that NSA has at least 13,475 employees. (20010206)

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(U) Annex C, Section E:

(U) In the past, the operational use of Chinese and the fact that we had Chinese linguists and a Chinese PQE/ professionalization program were considered UNCLASSIFIED, while any details were classified. It is now also considered UNCLASSIFIED to further specify the operational use of Mandarin Chinese and the fact of linguists and PQEs in Mandarin Chinese. (20010130)

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(U) Annex C, Section F: Changed:

**(U) The fact of NSA presence in Yakima, Washington to UNCLASSIFIED from**

**UNCLASSIFIED//~~FOUO~~**

NOTE: (U) In 1973, Dr. Louis Tordella, D/DIR, gave a talk to the Greater Yakima Chamber of Commerce in which he provided an overview of NSA's new presence at the Yakima Research Station. This was previously treated as U//FOUO until YRS produced documentation and a transcript of the talk. (20010130)

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(U) Annex C, Section C: Added:

**(U) The fact that NSA/CSS targets and/or reports on foreign weather- UNCLASSIFIED.**

NOTE: (U) All details beyond the fact of targeting and reporting on foreign weather for the period post-WWII, to include methods used to obtain this intelligence and the identification of targeted countries and entities, remain classified. Targeting of and reporting on weather information of any country prior to 14 August 1945 (end of WWII) was previously declassified. (20001004)

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(U) Annex C, Section I: Previous entry:

**(U) Cryptologic financial and resource information (to include personnel strengths) 25 years or older- UNCLASSIFIED**

was changed to:

**(U) SIGINT resource information (e.g. number of aircraft, radios, personnel strengths) 25 years or older- UNCLASSIFIED**

Change was made to remove references to financial information which must remain classified. (20001004)

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(U) Annex C,  
Section I: Previous entry:

**(U) Cryptologic financial and resource information (to include personnel strengths) less than 25 years old- SECRET**

was changed to:

**(U) SIGINT resource information (e.g. number of aircraft, radios, personnel strengths) less than 25 years old- SECRET**

Change was made to remove references to financial information which must remain classified. (20001004)

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(U) Annex C,  
Section I: Previous entry:

**(U) NSA's Consolidated Cryptologic Program (CCP)/ National Foreign Intelligence Program (NFIP) budget or line item if 25 years or older- UNCLASSIFIED**

was eliminated because all CCP/ NFIP budget information or individual line items, regardless of age, are classified.

(20001004)

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(U) Annex C,

Section I: Previous entry:

**(U) NSA's Consolidated Cryptologic Program (CCP)/ National Foreign Intelligence Program (NFIP) budget or line item if less than 25 years old- SECRET**

was changed to:

**(U) NSA's Consolidated Cryptologic Program (CCP)/ National Foreign Intelligence Program (NFIP) budget or line item- SECRET**

Change was made because this guidance applies to all such information regardless of timeframe. Previous guidance indicated such information 25 years or older was unclassified.(20001004)

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(U) Annex C, Section D: Added that the following are now UNCLASSIFIED:

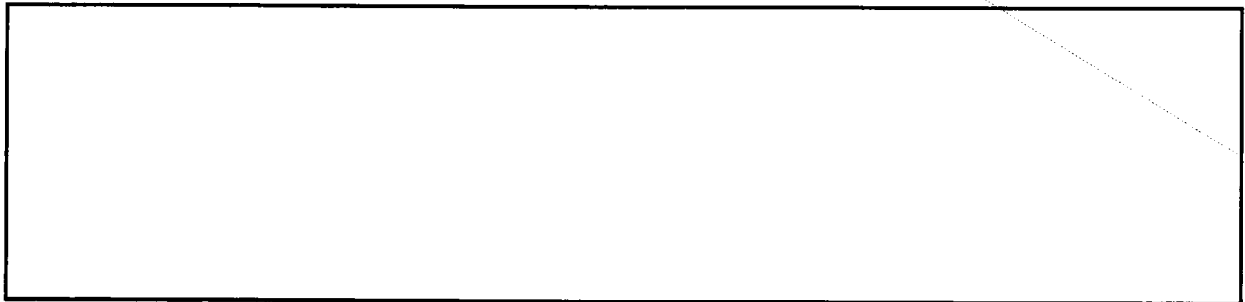
1. (U) The fact of NSA and the RSOCs targeting Russia
2. (U) The fact of NSA and the RSOCs targeting North Korea
3. (U) The fact of NSA and the RSOCs targeting China
4. (U) The fact of NSA and the RSOCs targeting the Middle East and North Africa.  
However, the fact of targeting any specific country within the Middle East and North Africa is still SECRET.

(b) (1)  
 (b) (3) -50 USC 403  
 (b) (3) -18 USC 798  
 (b) (3) -P.L. 86-36

(20000721)

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(U) Annex C,  
Section D: Added that the following remain SECRET:

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- 2.
- 3.
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(U) Annex C, Section E: Added that the following are now UNCLASSIFIED:

1. (U) The operational use of Russian at NSA and the RSOCs
2. (U) The operational use of Korean at NSA and the RSOCs
3. (U) The operational use of Chinese at NSA and the RSOCs

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(20000721)

(U) Annex C, Section E: Added that the following remain SECRET:

- 1. ~~(S)~~
- 2. ~~(S)~~
- 3. ~~(S)~~



(b) (1)  
 (b) (3) -50 USC 403  
 (b) (3) -18 USC 798  
 (b) (3) -P.L. 86-36

(20000721)

(U) Annex C, Section E: Changed the statement: **The fact that NSA/CSS offers a professionalization program in a specific foreign language or that an employee is professionalized in a specific foreign language is SECRET** to:

**The fact that NSA/CSS offers a professionalization program in a specific foreign language or that an employee is professionalized in a specific foreign language except for Russian, Korean and Chinese is SECRET.** (20000721)

(U) Annex C, Section E: Changed the statement: **The fact that an NSA/CSS employee is a linguist in a specific language is SECRET** to:

**The fact that an NSA/CSS employee is a linguist in a specific language except for Russian, Korean and Chinese is SECRET.** (20000721)

(U) Annex C, Section E: Changed the statement: **The fact that an NSA/CSS employee is a linguist in a specific language is SECRET** to:

**The fact that an NSA/CSS employee is a linguist in a specific language except for Russian, Korean and Chinese is SECRET.** (20000721)

(U) Annex C, Section J: Added that the following are UNCLASSIFIED:

- 1. (U) The fact that NSA has integrees assigned to GCHQ, CSE and DSD.

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2. (U) The fact that NSA has integrees assigned to Cheltenham, Ottawa and Canberra,

(20000721)

(b) (1)  
(b) (3) -50 USC 403  
(b) (3) -18 USC 798  
(b) (3) -P.L. 86-36

~~(S//SI//REL)~~

Annex C, Section C: Changed wording to show that the fact of NSA

[redacted] is SECRET//COMINT (20000601)

[redacted] (U) Annex C, Section C: Added the fact that the targeting or collecting of enciphered communications is UNCLASSIFIED (20000601)

~~(C//SI//REL)~~

Annex C, Section C: Added the fact that [redacted]

[redacted] (20000601)

~~(C//REL)~~ Annex

C, Section F: Added the fact that Yakima Research Station (YRS) is an NSA field site is UNCLASSIFIED [redacted] (20000601)

(U) Annex C,

Section J: Added the fact that the names of Second Party liaison officers and/or integrees may be protected as U//FOUO pursuant to Public Law 86-36. (20000601)

(U) Annex C,

Section I: Wording changed from:

"Cryptologic financial and resource information pertaining to personnel strengths ..."

"Cryptologic financial and resource information (to include personnel strengths) ..."

(20000216)

(U) Annex C,

Section G: Wording changed to reflect that the classification of NSA's organizational designators in association with organizational narrative titles is determined on a case-by-case basis based on the classification/sensitivity of the narrative title (20000216)

(U) Annex C,

Section C: Added that it is unclassified to state:

1. The fact of NSA/CSS targeting the global network
2. The fact of NSA/CSS targeting encrypted foreign communications on the global

network

- 3. The fact of NSA/CSS targeting digital foreign communications
- 4. The fact of NSA/CSS's digital network exploitation
- 5. The fact that NSA/CSS exploits digital networks
- 6. The fact of NSA/CSS targeting encrypted digital foreign communications

(20000215)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapter IV:  
Updated in its entirety to reflect the elimination of codewords (991109)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapter 1,  
Section 9: updated to reflect the elimination of codewords (991109)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Annex C:  
Updated in its entirety to reflect the new Intelligence Community markings and recent classification/declassification decisions. (990709)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Annex D:  
Updated in its entirety to reflect the new Intelligence Community markings. (990616)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapter VII:  
Has undergone numerous revisions to reflect the new Intelligence Community markings. The new Chapter VII replaces the old Chapter VII in its entirety. (990415)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapter III,  
2. c.: Rewrite as:

Indicate the applicable dates, events or exemptions for declassification or review and any additional authorized marking.

(990415)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapters I,  
II, III: move portion markings of titles to before titles (990415)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapter I,  
change top and bottom of page banners to:

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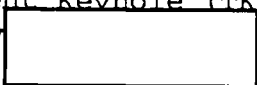
in conformance with new Intelligence Community classification markings (990415)

\_\_\_\_\_ (U) Chapter I,  
VIII: update list of SCI compartments to read:

(U) Communications Intelligence (COMINT) or Special Intelligence (S

(U) Talent Keyhole (TK)

(U//FOUO



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(990415)

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(U) Chapter I,  
VI: update URL for Records Management Services page (990415)



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