Interagency Security Committee Stakeholders,

Last month we commemorated the 25th Anniversary of the creation if the Interagency Security Committee (ISC) by Executive Order (EO) 12977. One of the major requirements of the EO is to monitor compliance. This is our second year of compliance reporting. We would like to thank our members and remind you the deadline for FY 20 Compliance Reporting Validation: **December 15**.

Over 71 percent of our members reported their compliance status with ISC policies and standards last year ensuing an overwhelming success of the inaugural year of compliance reporting. Thanks to the dedication of participating members, the ISC has gained great insight into the level of compliance and areas for additional emphasis/focus nationwide. Compliance with ISC policies and standards empowers departments and agencies to make defensible, risk-based, and resource-informed decisions that enhance security across the federal community.

The Insider Threat Mitigation Guide published by the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency today (see attached) also showcases the great work of our members as the Guide references <u>Violence in the Federal Workplace</u>: A <u>Guide for Prevention and Response</u> and <u>Planning and Response to an Active Shooter</u>: An <u>Interagency Security Committee Policy and Best Practices Guide</u>. Not only has your work successfully served the government community for 25 years, but you have an impact across the critical infrastructure community as well.

Thank you for your partnership to defend today and secure tomorrow.

Have a happy and safe Thanksgiving.

Very Respectfully, Daryle

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