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MEMORANDUM FOR: Distribution

SUBJECT: Technical Soundness Approval of Technical Specifications

REFERENCES: A. (U) Intelligence Community Directive 500, *Director of National Security Chief Information Officer*, 7 August 2008

 B. (U) Intelligence Community Standard 500-20, *Intelligence Community Enterprise Standards Compliance*, 16 December 2010

 C. (U) Intelligence Community Information Technology Enterprise, Increment 1, Implementation Plan, 17 July 2012

Director of National Intelligence (DNI) policy guidance calls upon the Intelligence Community Chief Information Officer (IC CIO) to establish, coordinate and promulgate common Information Technology (IT) standards, protocols and interfaces for and within the IC required to support information sharing strategies; intelligence mission objectives established in relevant law, policy and directives; and the IC information Technology Enterprise (IC ITE). The Office of the IC CIO facilitates IC-wide collaboration and coordination fora charged with adoption, modification, development and governance of IC technical specifications of common concern. Under IC CIO authority, the chair of the IC CIO-sponsored governance forum responsible for developing these specifications has determined that the following Intelligence Community Technical Specifications are technically sound, supportive of the IC mission objectives and the IC ITE, and were approved for use as of the date of this memorandum:

- 1) XML CVE Encoding Specification for Mission Need V2017-MAY (MN.XML.V2017-MAY) – This version incorporates the latest values from the authoritative source.
- 2) Taxonomy Encoding Specification for Mission Need Taxonomy V2017-MAY (MNT.XML.V2017-MAY) – This version incorporates the latest values from the authoritative source.
- 3) CVE Encoding Specification for Production Metrics V2017-MAY (PM.CES.V2017-MAY) – This version incorporates the latest values from the authoritative source.
- 4) XML Data Encoding Specification for Community Shared Resources Technical Specification Profiles V2017-MAY (CSR.XML.V2017-MAY) – This version incorporates the latest version of Mission Need, Mission Need Taxonomy, and Production Metrics.

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These Technical Specifications are approved for submission to the IC Enterprise Standards Baseline which services as the collection of enterprise standards against which programs will be assessed for IC Enterprise Architecture compliance. They can be accessed at <http://go.ic.gov/RxSUrG> on Intelink-TS and <http://www.w3id.org/ic/standards/final> on Intelink-U.



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31 May 2017

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Attachment:

(U) IC Technical Specification Mapping to IC/DoD Guidance

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