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SUBJECT: SF 189, "CLASSIFIED INFORMATION NONDISCLOSURE AGREEMENT"

Since 1986 all NRC cleared employees have been asked to execute the SF 189, "Classified Information Nondisclosure Agreement," in response to National Security Decision Directive (NSDD) 84. Initially, the SF 189 was implemented as part of the Security Refresher Briefing for employees. Subsequently, a copy of the form and language indicating that individuals would be required to execute the form when their security clearance is granted have been included in the offer of employment letter and implemented accordingly.

The Information Security Oversight Office (ISOO) has advised that a rider to the Continuing Resolution for the Fiscal Year 1988 (Section 630 of Public Law 100-202) signed by the President on December 22, 1987 places limitations on the implementation and enforcement of the SF 189. Although ISOO is seeking an Opinion of the Attorney General on the impact of this legislation on the SF 189, until further notice use of the form must cease. Any existing executed SF 189's which have been obtained should be forwarded to the Division of Security (SEC).

The general security awareness efforts, to include a security indoctrination which fully addresses the individual's obligation to protect classified information, are to be continued. However, reference to the SF 189 in employment correspondence and briefings must be eliminated.

Your cooperation in this procedural modification is appreciated, and questions may be directed to Cynthia G. Harbaugh, SEC on 492-4128.

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