MEMORANDUM FOR DLA STRATEGIC MATERIALS DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: Classification of National Defense Stockpile (NDS) Inventory

To ensure proper classification of NDS inventory, the effective sales plan will serve as the source document to support inventory classified as “Stockpile Materials Held for Sale” in the Enterprise Business System (EBS). All NDS inventories not included in an annual sales plan are to be classified in EBS as “Stockpile Materials Held in Reserve.”

DLA Strategic Materials operates under the authority of the Strategic and Critical Materials Stock Piling Act (50 U.S.C. §98, et seq.). The Stock Piling Act provides for acquisition, management, and stock retention of certain strategic and critical materials. Accordingly, disposals are limited to the material quantities identified in the effective Annual Materials Plan (AMP) and subsequent sales plans. The primary disposal method is through the sale of material held in NDS inventory. Quantities offered for sale during the fiscal year cannot exceed levels congressionally approved in the AMP, unless Congress otherwise approves disposals through subsequent written notification to the Stockpile Manager.

The approved annual sales plan in attachment 1 represents materials ready for sale in their current condition. Management has committed to offering these quantities for sale in fiscal year 2015.

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