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Title: (U/FOUO) FBI NATIONAL SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE MISSION AND STANDARDIZATION OF FIELD INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

Synopsis: (U/FOUO) This communication defines the FBI's National Security mission and establishes a framework for standardizing key aspects of field intelligence activities.

Details: (U/FOUO) This communication will describe the National Security and the Intelligence mission of the FBI, the overall plan, the priority intelligence functions for the field, and who will perform these functions. In order for this document to transcend personnel shifts or organizational restructuring, the leadership of the National Security Branch (NSB) worked collectively with senior managers in the field and at FBIHQ in establishing this framework.

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The National Security Mission of the FBI

(U) The National Security mission of the FBI is to identify and neutralize threats to the US Homeland, as well as US interests overseas. This requires having a strategic and comprehensive understanding of what we know (through cases and source coverage) and what we don't know, in order to proactively identify or neutralize these threats. With guidance from the Attorney General and the Director of National Intelligence (DNI), the NSB was stood up in September 2005 and is now responsible for the policies and processes that leverage the FBI’s unique skills, resources, partnerships, and legal authorities against the nation’s most pressing national security threats.

The Intelligence Mission of the FBI

(U) The Intelligence Mission of the FBI is part of this overall National Security Mission and cuts across all investigative programs. The Intelligence Mission of the FBI is to meet current and emerging national security and criminal threats by 1) aiming core investigative work proactively against threats to U.S. interests; 2) building and sustaining enterprise-wide intelligence capabilities; and 3) providing useful, appropriate, and timely information and analysis to the national security, homeland security, and law enforcement communities.

Directorate of Intelligence

(U) The Directorate of Intelligence (DI) has the central responsibility and authority to oversee all aspects of the FBI's Intelligence Program, and it exercises this authority through a dedicated headquarters staff (Division 19) and embedded intelligence elements at FBHQ and in each field office through the Field Intelligence Groups (FIGs). The FIG in each field office should complement the investigative squads through an integrated intelligence collection, analysis, and reporting capability.

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