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MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Assessment of the DoD Establishment of the Office of Security Cooperation-Iraq  
(Project No. D2011-D00SPO-0203.000)

We plan to begin this assessment immediately. Our objective is to assess progress made by the Department of Defense toward establishing a fully functional Office of Security Cooperation-Iraq. Specifically, we will assess whether:

- Requirements are being met to effectively execute the plan for transitioning authority, personnel, and equipment from USF-I to the Office of Security Cooperation-Iraq and Chief of Mission in Baghdad, and
- Department of Defense support required has been provided to meet “initial operating capability” and ensure sufficiency and capacity of the Office of Security Cooperation-Iraq at “full operating capability” that will accomplish the mission of supporting Iraqi Security Force capability development.

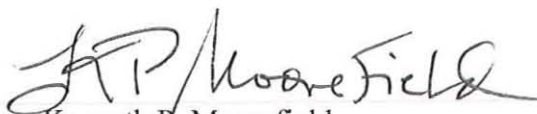
We will conduct fieldwork at locations in Iraq from mid-May to early June 2011. We will identify and visit other organizations and individuals outside the country responsible for the development of the Office of Security Cooperation – Iraq during the assessment. Arrangements for those visits will be made through established points of contact.

Please provide a point of contact within U.S. Forces-Iraq for the assessment. The point of contact must be a U.S. Government employee, either a GS-15 or the military equivalent. Management should send the name, title, grade, phone number, and e-mail address of the point of contact to [spo@dodig.mil](mailto:spo@dodig.mil) within five days of the date of this announcement.

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