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MEMORANDUM FOR UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY

COMMANDER, U.S. EUROPEAN COMMAND

COMMANDER, U.S. ARMY EUROPE AND AFRICA
AUDITOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

SUBJECT: Audit of U.S. European Command Force Protection Measures at Installations in Poland that Support Operation Atlantic Resolve (Project No. D2024-D000RH-0101.000)

The purpose of this memorandum is to notify you that we plan to begin the subject audit in March 2024.

The objective of this audit is to determine whether the DoD implemented force protection measures at U.S. European Command installations in Poland in support of Operation Atlantic Resolve in accordance with DoD policy. We may revise the objective as the audit proceeds, and we will also consider suggestions from management for additional or revised objectives. We plan to perform this audit in accordance with the Government Accountability Office's generally accepted government auditing standards.

We will perform this audit at Life Support Area Eagle located at Rzeszow-Jasionka Airport in Poland. We may identify additional locations during the audit.

We request that you designate a staff member to serve as our point of contact for this audit within **5 days** of this memorandum. The point of contact should be a Government employee—a GS-15, pay band equivalent, or military equivalent—and knowledgeable of mitigating force protection weaknesses related to the objective. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and email address to audrgo@dodig.mil.

The Inspector General Act of 1978, 5 U.S.C. §§ 401-424, as amended, authorizes us to have access to personnel and materials as we determine necessary to perform our oversight in a timely manner. You can obtain information about the DoD Office of Inspector General from DoD Directive 5106.01, "Inspector General of the Department of Defense (IG DoD)," April 20, 2012, as amended, and DoD Instruction 7050.03, "Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense Access to Records and Information," March 22, 2013, as amended. Our website is www.dodig.mil.

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