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MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Evaluation of DoD Actions To Address Unmanned Aircraft Systems at Military Installations in the United States and its Territories  
(Project No. D2025-DEV0SR-0038.000)

The purpose of this memorandum is to notify you that we are initiating the subject evaluation in November 2024.

The objective of this evaluation is to assess DoD actions to address unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) at military installations in the United States and its territories. We may revise the objective as the evaluation proceeds, and we will also consider suggestions from DoD management for additional or revised objectives. We plan to perform this evaluation in accordance with Council of the Inspectors General on Integrity and Efficiency (CIGIE) "Quality Standards for Inspection and Evaluation" and the Council of the Inspectors General on Integrity and Efficiency "Quality Standards for Federal Offices of Inspector General."

We will perform the evaluation at the Office of the Secretary of Defense, the Military Services, the Combatant Commands, Combat Support Agencies, Defense Agencies, and the Military Criminal Investigative Organizations. We may identify additional locations during the evaluation.

We request that you designate two points of contact for this evaluation within **5 days** of this memorandum. One point of contact should be a Government employee—a GS-15, pay band equivalent, or military equivalent—who is knowledgeable of UAS. The second point of contact should be a member of the Senior Executive Service or a General/Flag Officer who is familiar with UAS and could serve as a point of engagement with DoD Office of Inspector General senior leaders, if necessary. Send each contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and email address to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED].

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](http://www.dodig.mil).

If you have any questions, please contact [REDACTED],

or [REDACTED]

FOR THE INSPECTOR GENERAL:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Randolph Stone', written in a cursive style.

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