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Section 1.6(g) of Executive Order 12958, as amended, "Classified National Security Information" provides that original classification authorities "...shall, whenever practicable, use a classified addendum whenever classified information constitutes a small portion of an otherwise unclassified document." Agencies are reminded of this important provision.

Additionally, agencies should encourage the similar use of classified addenda by derivative classifiers.

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