



# Information Security Oversight Office

National Archives and Records Administration

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## ISOO Notice 2009-05: Agencies Ineligible to Receive Referrals Identified by Primary Reviewing Agencies Amongst Records Subject to Automatic Declassification on December 31<sup>st</sup> of 2006, 2007, and 2008

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Only the equities of agencies (and their subordinate and/or predecessor entities) with declassification guides that were approved by the Interagency Security Classification Appeals Panel were able to be exempted from automatic declassification on December 31<sup>st</sup> of 2006 and 2007, and only in accordance with the specific language of the approved declassification guide. The same is the case for December 31, 2008. The equities of all other agencies were or will be automatically declassified.

Records identified for referral amongst records reviewed by primary reviewing agencies for the December 31<sup>st</sup> deadlines for 2006, 2007, and 2008 for the following agencies are not valid as these agencies lack the authority to exempt classified national security information from automatic declassification:

Department of Agriculture	Department of Commerce
Department of Education	Department of Health and Human Services
Department of Housing and Urban Development	Department of Labor
Department of the Interior	Department of Transportation
Department of Veterans Affairs	Environmental Protection Agency
Export-Import Bank	Federal Communications Commission
Federal Maritime Commission	Federal Reserve System
Federal Trade Commission	General Services Administration
Marine Mammal Commission	Merit Systems Protection Board
Millennium Challenge Corporation	National Aeronautics and Space Agency
National Archives and Records Administration	National Science Foundation
Office of Personnel Management	Overseas Private Investment Corporation
Securities and Exchange Commission	Selective Service Commission
Small Business Administration	Smithsonian Institution
Social Security Administration	Tennessee Valley Authority
United States Agency for International Development	United States International Trade Commission

However, any such records need to be reviewed to determine if they contain information originated by, or the disclosure of which would affect the interests or activities of, an agency which has been granted the authority to exempt information from automatic declassification.

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