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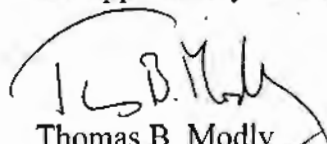
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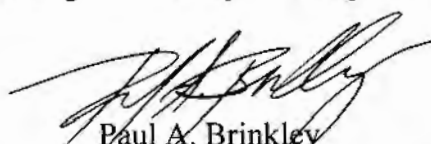
Subject: BTA Organizational Changes

Given the Deputy Secretary's recent tasking to the BTA, and in order to focus resources on high priority activities, the following organizational changes are announced effective immediately:

- The following BTA/OSD resources are assigned to the "Task Force to Support Improved DoD Contracting and Stability Operations in Iraq" (Task Force): (b)(6) (b)(6) Lt Col (b)(6) (b)(6) and (b)(6). Additional government staff and select contractor resources from the BTA will also be assigned to assist the Task Force as needed.
- The Information and Federation Strategy Directorate will be disbanded. Federation strategy will be lead by Transformation Planning and Performance with oversight by Mr. (b)(6) (see attached personnel announcement). BTA Communications will be lead by Major (b)(6) and will report to the office of the Director of the BTA.
- Agency Operations will be lead by Mr. (b)(6) (see attached personnel announcement). Agency finance, facilities, contracting, and HR will report to Mr. (b)(6) (b)(6) will maintain spending controls until Mr. (b)(6) is fully ramped-up in his new position.
- Agency General Counsel will be lead by Ms. (b)(6) (see attached personnel announcement). Ms. (b)(6) will report to the office of the Director of the BTA.
- Mr. (b)(6) (see attached personnel announcement) will assume the role of BTA CIO, reporting to MG Pair.

We appreciate your support for these changes as we adjust to urgent new requirements.


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