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We conducted an evaluation of the enterprise-wide security program and practices for the Top Secret/Sensitive Compartmented Information system under the Department of Homeland Security's purview. In accordance with Federal Information Security Management Act of 2002 requirements, our review focused on department's security management, implementation, and evaluations aspects of its intelligence activities, including the policies, procedures, and system security controls in place for its enterprise-wide intelligence system.

The objective of our evaluation was to determine whether the department is adequately and effectively protecting Top Secret/Sensitive Compartmented Information and the system that supports the Department of Homeland Security's enterprise-wide intelligence operations and assets. Our independent evaluation concentrated on department-level intelligence operations. Fieldwork was conducted from June through August 2007. (OIG-07-75, September 2007, IT)

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