

APPENDIX D

AGENCY RESPONSE TO DRAFT REPORT

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MEMORANDUM FOR ELLIOT P. LEWIS

Assistant Inspector General for Audit

FROM:

EDWARD C. HUGLER

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Operations

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SUBJECT:

Electronic Media Sanitization

Draft Audit Report No. 23-05-018-50-598

This memorandum responds to the September 30, 2005 draft report of the Office of Inspector General's (OIG) Audit of the Department's Electronic Media Sanitization processes and procedures.

We recognize that there remains opportunity for improvement and acknowledge the need for refining our policies, procedures, and implementation guidance for the sanitization of electronic media prior to its disposal. OASAM's management responses have been incorporated into the draft audit report, following each of the OIG's recommendations.

We appreciate the opportunity to respond to the OIG's recommendations. If you have any questions regarding our response please contact me at (202) 693-4040, or have your staff contact either Al Stewart at Stewart.Milton@dol.gov or (202) 693-4021 or Tom Wiesner at Wiesner.Thomas@dol.gov or (202) 693-4200.

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