(2) a period of 30 days elapses after such notification is received.

#### (g) Definitions

For purposes of this section:

#### (1) Covered department or agency

- (A) Except as provided in subparagraph (B), the term "covered department or agency" means any department or agency of the Federal Government that carries out a special access program.
  - (B) Such term does not include-
  - (i) the Department of Defense (which is required to submit reports on special access programs under section 119 of title 10);
  - (ii) the National Nuclear Security Administration (which is required to submit reports on special access programs under section 2426 of this title); or
  - (iii) an agency in the Intelligence Community (as defined in section 3003(4) of this title).

## (2) Special access program

The term "special access program" means any program that, under the authority of Executive Order 12356 (or any successor Executive order), is established by the head of a department or agency whom the President has designated in the Federal Register as an original "secret" or "top secret" classification authority that imposes "need-to-know" controls or access controls beyond those controls normally required (by regulations applicable to such department or agency) for access to information classified as "confidential", "secret", or "top secret".

(Pub. L. 103–160, div. A, title XI, \$1152, Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1758; Pub. L. 106–65, div. C, title XXXII, \$3294(e)(2), Oct. 5, 1999, 113 Stat. 970.)

# References in Text

Executive Order 12356, referred to in subsec. (g)(2), is Ex. Ord. No. 12356, Apr. 2, 1982, 47 F.R. 14874, 15557, which prescribed a uniform system for classifying, declassifying, and safeguarding national security information, and which was formerly set out as a note under section 435 (now section 3161) of this title, was revoked by Ex. Ord. No. 12958, §6.1(d), Apr. 17, 1995, 60 F.R. 19843.

#### CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified as a note under section 435 of this title prior to editorial reclassification as this section.

# AMENDMENTS

1999—Subsec. (g)(1)(B)(ii). Pub. L. 106-65 amended cl. (ii) generally. Prior to amendment, cl. (ii) read as follows: "the Department of Energy, with respect to special access programs carried out under the atomic energy defense activities of that department (for which the Secretary of Energy is required to submit reports under section 2122a of title 42); or".

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1999 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 106–65 effective Mar. 1, 2000, see section 3299 of Pub. L. 106–65, set out as an Effective Date note under section 2401 of this title.

# § 3349. Notification regarding the authorized public disclosure of national intelligence

## (a) Notification

In the event of an authorized disclosure of national intelligence or intelligence related to na-

tional security to the persons or entities described in subsection (b), the government official responsible for authorizing the disclosure shall submit to the congressional intelligence committees on a timely basis a notification of the disclosure if—

- (1) at the time of the disclosure-
  - (A) such intelligence is classified; or
- (B) is declassified for the purpose of the disclosure; and
- (2) the disclosure will be made by an officer, employee, or contractor of the Executive branch.

#### (b) Persons or entities described

The persons or entities described in this subsection are as follows:

- (1) Media personnel.
- (2) Any person or entity, if the disclosure described in subsection (a) is made with the intent or knowledge that such information will be made publicly available.

#### (c) Content

Each notification required under subsection (a) shall—

- (1) provide the specific title and authority of the individual authorizing the disclosure;
- (2) if applicable, provide the specific title and authority of the individual who authorized the declassification of the intelligence disclosed; and
- (3) describe the intelligence disclosed, including the classification of the intelligence prior to its disclosure or declassification and the rationale for making the disclosure.

#### (d) Exception

The notification requirement in this section does not apply to a disclosure made—

- (1) pursuant to any statutory requirement, including to section 552 of title 5 (commonly referred to as the "Freedom of Information Act");
- (2) in connection with a civil, criminal, or administrative proceeding;
- (3) as a result of a declassification review process under Executive Order 13526 (50 U.S.C. 435 note) [now 50 U.S.C. 3161 note] or any successor order; or
- (4) to any officer, employee, or contractor of the Federal government or member of an advisory committee to an element of the intelligence community who possesses an active security clearance and a need to know the specific national intelligence or intelligence related to national security, as defined in section 3003(5) of this title.

(Pub. L. 112–277, title V, §504, Jan. 14, 2013, 126 Stat. 2477; Pub. L. 113–126, title III, §328, July 7, 2014, 128 Stat. 1405.)

#### AMENDMENTS

2014—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 113–126 struck out subsec. (e). Text read as follows: "The notification requirements of this section shall cease to be effective for any disclosure described in subsection (a) that occurs on or after the date that is one year after January 14, 2013."

# DEFINITIONS

Pub. L. 112–277,  $\S2$ , Jan. 14, 2013, 126 Stat. 2469, provided that: "In this Act [see Tables for classification]:

- "(1) Congressional intelligence committees.— The term 'congressional intelligence committees' means—
- "(A) the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate; and "(B) the Permanent Select Committee on Intel-

"(B) the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives.

"(2) INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.—The term 'intelligence community' has the meaning given that term in section 3(4) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 401a(4)) [now 50 U.S.C. 3003(4)]."

# SUBCHAPTER IV—COLLECTION, ANALYSIS, AND SHARING OF INTELLIGENCE

#### §3361. National Virtual Translation Center

#### (a) Establishment

The Director of National Intelligence shall establish in the intelligence community an element with the function of connecting the elements of the intelligence community engaged in the acquisition, storage, translation, or analysis of voice or data in digital form.

#### (b) Designation

The element established under subsection (a) shall be known as the National Virtual Translation Center.

#### (c) Function

The element established under subsection (a) shall provide for timely and accurate translations of foreign intelligence for all elements of the intelligence community through—

- (1) the integration of the translation capabilities of the intelligence community;
- (2) the use of remote-connection capabilities; and
- (3) the use of such other capabilities as the Director considers appropriate.

#### (d) Administrative matters

- (1) The Director shall retain direct supervision and control over the element established under subsection (a).
- (2) The element established under subsection (a) shall connect elements of the intelligence community utilizing the most current available information technology that is applicable to the function of the element.
- (3) Personnel of the element established under subsection (a) may carry out the duties and functions of the element at any location that—
  - (A) has been certified as a secure facility by a department or agency of the United States Government; or
  - (B) the Director has otherwise determined to be appropriate for such duties and functions <sup>1</sup>

## (e) Deadline for establishment

The element required by subsection (a) shall be established as soon as practicable after November 27, 2002, but not later than 90 days after November 27, 2002.

(Pub. L. 107–306, title III, §313, Nov. 27, 2002, 116 Stat. 2391; Pub. L. 108–458, title I, §1071(g)(2)(A)(i), Dec. 17, 2004, 118 Stat. 3691; Pub. L. 108–487, title III, §304, Dec. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 3944)

#### CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 404n of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

#### AMENDMENTS

2004—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 108–458 substituted "Director of National Intelligence" for "Director of Central Intelligence, acting as the head of the intelligence community,".

Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 108-487, §304(a)(2), added subsec. (c). Former subsec. (c) redesignated (d).

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 108-487,  $\S304(a)(1)$ , (b), redesignated subsec. (c) as (d) and added par. (3). Former subsec. (d) redesignated (e).

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 108–487,  $\S304(a)(1)$ , redesignated subsec. (d) as (e).

#### Effective Date of 2004 Amendment

For Determination by President that amendment by Pub. L. 108-458 take effect on Apr. 21, 2005, see Memorandum of President of the United States, Apr. 21, 2005, 70 F.R. 23925, set out as a note under section 3001 of this

Amendment by Pub. L. 108-458 effective not later than six months after Dec. 17, 2004, except as otherwise expressly provided, see section 1097(a) of Pub. L. 108-458, set out in an Effective Date of 2004 Amendment; Transition Provisions note under section 3001 of this title

# § 3362. Foreign Terrorist Asset Tracking Center (a) Establishment

The Director of National Intelligence shall establish within the Central Intelligence Agency an element responsible for conducting all-source intelligence analysis of information relating to the financial capabilities, practices, and activities of individuals, groups, and nations associated with international terrorism in their activities relating to international terrorism.

#### (b) Designation

The element established under subsection (a) shall be known as the Foreign Terrorist Asset Tracking Center.

#### (c) Deadline for establishment

The element required by subsection (a) shall be established as soon as practicable after November 27, 2002, but not later than 90 days after November 27, 2002.

(Pub. L. 107–306, title III, §341, Nov. 27, 2002, 116 Stat. 2398; Pub. L. 108–458, title I, §1071(g)(2)(C), Dec. 17, 2004, 118 Stat. 3691.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 404n-1 of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

#### AMENDMENTS

2004—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 108–458 substituted "Director of National Intelligence shall establish within the Central Intelligence Agency" for "Director of Central Intelligence, acting as the head of the intelligence community, shall establish in the Central Intelligence Agency".

# EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2004 AMENDMENT

For Determination by President that amendment by Pub. L. 108–458 take effect on Apr. 21, 2005, see Memorandum of President of the United States, Apr. 21, 2005, 70 F.R. 23925, set out as a note under section 3001 of this title.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>So in original. Probably should be followed by a period.