

February 3, 2020

MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Evaluation of the DoD's Actions to Control Contamination from Perflouroalkyl and Polyflouroalkyl Substances (PFAS) at DoD Installations (Project No. D2020-DEV0SR-0088.000)

We plan to begin the congressionally requested evaluation in February 2020. The objective of this evaluation is to determine the extent that the DoD has taken steps to: identify, mitigate, and remediate contamination from Perflouroalkyl and Polyflouroalkyl Substances (PFAS) at DoD installations; and identify and inform populations exposed to PFAS at DoD installations of the associated health and safety concerns. We may revise the objective as the evaluation proceeds, and we will also consider suggestions from management for additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the evaluation at the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment, the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, DoD Components, and Defense agency office locations. For planning purposes, we anticipate holding our entrance conference on February 18, 2020, and conducting site visits during April and May 2020.

Please provide us with points of contact for the evaluation within **5 days** of the date of this memorandum. The point of contact should be either a GS-15, pay band equivalent, or military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address to

You can obtain information about the DoD Office of Inspector General from DoD Directive 5106.01, "Inspector General of the Department of Defense," April 20, 2012, as amended; DoD Directive 5106.04, "Defense Inspectors General," May 22, 2014; and DoD Instruction 7050.03, "Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense Access to Records and Information," March 22, 2013. Our website is <u>www.dodig.mil</u>.

If you have any questions, please contact

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