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SUBJECT: CONTRACTOR ACTION REQUESTED – 2019 NOVEL CORONAVIRUS TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS AND NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

The novel coronavirus (COVID-19) continues to spread in the Republic of Korea and the number of infected personnel continues to rise.

On 27 Feb 2020, Commander, United States Indo-Pacific Command, issued Force Protection Directive 20-006. This directive is in line with the Center for Disease Control Travel Health Notice and restricts all non-essential DoD travel to the Republic of Korea, in particular temporary duty (TDY) and leave, to reduce risks associated with COVID-19. This travel restriction applies to all military, civilians, and contractors. Any contractor personnel returning from the Republic of Korea will not be provided access to the work site for health and safety reasons for a 14 day period, starting from the day of departure from Korea. You are directed immediately inform your Contracting Officer if your employees travel to the Republic of Korea.

Additionally, in recent weeks, the risk of exposure in Japan is significantly increasing with this rapidly evolving outbreak. While there are currently no quarantine restrictions on travelers from Japan, you are to notify your respective Contracting Officer of personnel who are traveling to, and returning from, Japan.

I ask that you enforce this requirement for both prime and subcontractor personnel. Thank you for your continued support to provide a safe and healthy work environment.

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