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SUBJECT: Standards for Homeland Security Investigations Field Assignees to  
the Central Intelligence Agency

Since the aftermath of 9/11, Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) and the members of the Intelligence Community coordinate efforts to protect the national security of the United States. Critical U.S. government initiatives currently focus on deterring terrorism, improving cyber security, fighting proliferation, protecting the infrastructure and gaining insight about countries of high strategic interests.

Only by interagency partners working together can our coordinated efforts further our unilateral mission to protect the security of our nation. In support of the national security mission, the National Security Investigations Division (NSID) is working to place an HSI Special Agent assignee in Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) domestic station offices.

There are two primary benefits gained through the utilization of this collaborative agency concept. First, a field assignee would facilitate the exchange of information and build collaboration between OGA station and the HSI field office, by providing an efficient level of knowledge of all HSI disciplines and authorities to the station office. Second, the field assignee would assist in the deconfliction of HSI investigations and station intelligence operations that advance each entity's National Security objectives.

Qualifications for the HSI field assignee position are inclusive of the following:

- A GS-1811-13 with a minimum of five years investigative experience with HSI.
- Assignee must possess or be able to obtain a TS/SCI clearance.
- Assignee must be well versed in the HSI mission and various HSI disciplines.
- Assignee must possess strong oral and written communication skills.

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- The assignee must pass a medical examination, a psychological evaluation, and a National Security polygraph.
- The assignee must be approved by the respective HSI Special Agent in Charge and CIA Station Chief.

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