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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

28 OCT 96

FROM:WR-ALC/FMPD

SUBJECT:Foreign Disclosure and the Military to Military (Mil to Mil) Contact Program

1. Attached is the new policy for Military to Military Contact Programs between the USAF and the Russian Federation Air Force.
2. Please give the attached letter the widest dissemination possible within your organization.
3. Point of contact is Chet Branscom, FMPD, 62091.

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MEMORANDUM FOR  
FROM: AFSAC/TP

SUBJECT: Foreign Disclosure ~~and the military~~ Military (Mil-to-Mil) Contact Program

1. The Military-to-Military contact programs between the USAF and the Russian Federation Air Force, the Former Soviet Union (FSU), and Non-Soviet Warsaw Pact (NSWP), involve Foreign National Visits (FNV) that are arranged and approved by the Interagency Working Group (IWG); these are different channels than the majority of all other foreign national visits. Exchanges (or visits) and the content thereof are approved by the IWG and include policy or counterpart visits (usually at the general officer level), Sister Base program, functional exchanges, familiarization tours, cooperative joint exercises, and others. These events involve various (but defined) types of exchanges, for example: senior level delegation exchanges to educational exchanges to test pilot school orientation exchanges. Attachment 1 identifies the countries involved and provides a brief description of each type of mil-to-mil visit.

2. Since the IWG approvals and AFMC involvement began in late 1992, there have been many of these visits hosted by HQ AFMC and field organizations. As with other U.S./foreign government programs, as interest increases, so increases the number of visits as well as the complexity of purpose. The IWG visits are no different. For these reasons, we believe it's time to reiterate some basic disclosure guidelines concerning these visits. This guidance is applicable to all AFMC and subordinate units/personnel.

- a. All information that has been reviewed and approved by Public Affairs, and is available to the public, may be released by an organization to support an IWG event, requiring no additional review by foreign disclosure.
- b. In accordance with national and Air Force policy, all other information, to include briefings, scripts, documents, etc., including unclassified information, must be reviewed by the MAJCOM Foreign Disclosure Policy Office (AFSAC/TPD). All information requiring MAJCOM review (or higher) must be forwarded to AFSAC/TPD at least two weeks prior to when needed, or earlier if possible. Due to changes in this organization, one or two days prior to the event (or departure if going overseas) can no longer be accommodated (except in short notice, emergency situations). In some cases where SAF authority has not been redelegated to our office, we are required to prepare a Command position to forward to higher headquarters for a release decision. Therefore time is crucial and adequate leadtime to complete required staffing is a necessity.
- c. No information can be provided and no commitments may be made or implied on a matter that, if carried to fruition, would require the eventual disclosure of classified information, i.e., a classified program.

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# FOREIGN NATIONAL VISITS UNDER MILITARY-TO-MILITARY CONTACT PROGRAM

## East European Countries and Former Soviet Union:

Albania	Estonia	Lithuania	Slovakia
Belarus	Hungary	Poland	Slovenia
Bulgaria	Kazakhstan	Romania	Ukraine
Czech Republic	Latvia	Russia	Macedonia

## Types of Visits/Exchanges:

Counterparts: Normally senior-level (4-star), with small support delegations (five) for roughly five days.

Sister Base: CSAF initiative; agreed upon program with Russian Air Force for wing-to-wing exchanges. Up to 20 U.S. and Russian bases are chosen from a pre-determined list (fighter, bomber, airlift, academy, training, test, missiles, advanced fighter, and tanker base).

Exercises: Combined U.S. and Russian cooperative activities using Air Force assets focusing on such non-combat areas as peacetime search and rescue, humanitarian assistance, and peacekeeping. At this time, only benign, non-operational missions can be exercised.

Educational: Reciprocal exchange visits for intermediate and senior service schools for the purpose of discussions/seminars and lectures with Russian counterparts. Topics will be of mutual interest to the respective militaries and may include defense policy, military capability, current issues, and military doctrine.

Other: Other opportunities can be applied to mil-to-mil contact plan as they germinate. Examples of these are the meteorology exchange and test pilot school orientation.

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