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**MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT**

**SUBJECT: Organizational Restructuring in the Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition and Technology) (DUSD(A&T))**

To improve the strategic focus of the Office of Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology, I am pleased to announce the following organizational restructuring to position our strategic direction in support of the 2006 Quadrennial Defense Review, to emphasize the importance of core competencies, to provide increased leadership roles, and to improve communication, teamwork and integration within DUSD(A&T) and throughout the DoD enterprise.

The Director for Defense Systems organization will be disestablished, the personnel in this organization will be assigned to organizations within DUSD(A&T) and the recruitment for that position will be cancelled. The following organizational changes are being made effective immediately:

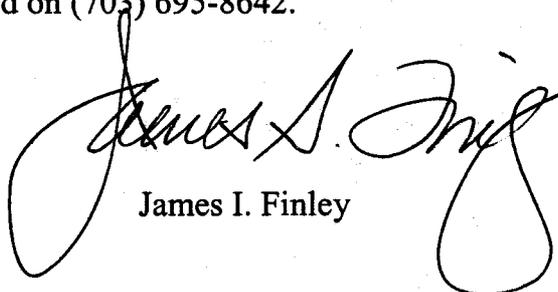
1. The position of Director, Systems Engineering will be renamed to Director, Systems and Software Engineering. This position will report directly to DUSD(A&T) and will be led by Mr. Mark Schaeffer.
2. The position of Director, Systems Acquisition, will be renamed to Director Portfolio Systems Acquisition. This position will report directly to DUSD(A&T) and will be posted and planned to be filled within the next 30 to 60 days. DUSD(A&T) will be the acting Director in the interim, using selected personnel from within A&T on a rotational basis for support of the position.
3. The position of Director, Systems and Mission Integration, will be renamed to Director, Systems of Systems Management. This position will report directly to DUSD(A&T) and will be planned to be selected from within A&T in the next 30 to 60 days. DUSD(A&T) will be the acting Director in the interim, using selected personnel from within A&T on a rotational basis for support of the position.
4. The position of Technical Advisor, Interoperability, will be created. The position will be a staff direct report to DUSD(A&T). Dr. Garber will be reassigned to fill this position.

Mr. Raleigh Durham, in addition to his regular responsibilities, shall continue in a special advisor assignment, directly reporting to DUSD(A&T) for implementation of



QDR initiatives for Concept Decision, Time-Defined Acquisition, Risk-Based Source Selection and Capital Budgeting.

Appropriate personnel actions will be initiated to effect these organizational changes and to realign personnel. Ms. Julie Bigler is available to provide additional information. She can be reached on (703) 695-8642.

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James I. Finley

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