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Dear Mr. Bradley:

In accordance with Executive Order 13526, please find the enclosed U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) June 2017 update on Fundamental Classification Guidance Review (FCGR). In preparation for the FCGR, USDA convened a Security Classification Guide (SCG) Working Group to review the Security Classification Guide (SCG) that consisted of subject matter experts, Security Specialists, SCG users, USDA Senior Security Specialists, and Security Specialists outside of USDA.

USDA has one SCG. It was last updated in 2016. Based on the review by the working group, USDA plans to update the SCG in 2017

If you have further question or require further information, please contact Brodrick Wilcox, Chief, Personnel and Document Security Division at (202) 720-9732 or brodrick.wilcox@dm.usda.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "J. Bornstein", is written over a horizontal line. To the right of the signature, the date "6/14/2017" is handwritten in blue ink.

Josh Bornstein
Acting Director
Office of Homeland Security
and Emergency Coordination

Enclosure