



NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY  
CENTRAL SECURITY SERVICE  
FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, MARYLAND 20755-6000

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MEMORANDUM TO: Department of Church Authority

SUBJECT: Request for approval to sell National Security Agency (NSA) approved

1. NSA has reviewed your request and grants approval to sell a quantity of *(list qty. and equipment)* to the Government of *(name of country)* under FMS Case XX-X-XXX. It is understood via the Letter of Request (LOR), that the aforementioned COMSEC will be used for *(briefly state requirement)*.

2. NSA directs that COMSEC items must be handled via COMSEC accounting channels, and shipped via a security-cleared freight forwarder to the customer's National Distribution Authority (NDA). Additionally, NSA requests the following: a copy of this approval letter be included in the LOA package sent to the Case Writing Division of DSCA and a copy of the executed FMS Case, XX-X-XXX, be forwarded to DIRNSA, 9800 Savage Road, Fort George G. Meade, MD 20755, ATTN: DP23 Suite 6576. The items and quantity sold will be posted in an established database, which allows NSA to monitor Foreign Military Sales of COMSEC.

3. NSA requests the guidelines in Paragraph 2 above be followed in all future requests for approval to sell COMSEC items via an FMS Case. As the National Manager for COMSEC, the NSA has become increasingly concerned with the manner in which the U.S. Military Services/Implementing Agencies are handling, selling, and shipping U.S. COMSEC. This letter advises that if the above listed COMSEC items are not handled, sold and shipped in accordance with this letter, the NSA may not approve future sales of U.S. Type I cryptographic equipment from the above designated Implementing Agency. NSA has taken this position for various reasons which include, but are not limited to: Type I cryptographic equipment being sold on FMS cases before being certified and released; LOA's being offered before NSA authorization to sell; and FMS case designators/amendments, and/or quantity of equipment being sold left out of the Request for Approval to sell letters.

4. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please do not hesitate to contact *(case manager's name)*, FMS Case Manager for the Government of the United States (3Dt) 342-19D3

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