



Section O: Information Assurance (IA) & Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI)  
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## **NOTE: THIS SECTION IS GENERALLY NOT APPLICABLE TO SUPPLIERS SUPPLYING PRODUCTS, PARTS AND SERVICES FOR NON-DOD CONTRACTS**

### **Introduction**

Across the federal government there are more than 107 different labeling or handling processes for Sensitive But Unclassified (SBU) information, which included categories such as "For Official Use Only" and "Law Enforcement Sensitive". Current processes and procedures - some driven by statute and agency policy - have confused producers and users of SBU, impeded the timeliness, accuracy and flow of information that should be shared, and failed to control the flow of information that should not be shared.

Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) has been described as the categorical designation for all information historically referred to or known as Sensitive but Unclassified (SBU). Federal agencies routinely generate, use, store and share information that, while not meeting the standards for classified national security information, requires safeguarding measures (to ensure CUI is protected) and dissemination controls (to properly share the information). These safeguards and dissemination controls are required by law, regulation, or Government-wide policy. Please consult the National Archives CUI site at <https://www.archives.gov/cui> and the CUI Registry at <http://www.archives.gov/cui/registry/category-list.html> for additional guidance and information regarding the definition and identification of CUI.

Some technology, technical data, and parts to which Oshkosh Corporation's (Oshkosh) suppliers will have access while working with Oshkosh constitutes Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) subject to protection under the Information Assurance (IA) provisions in certain DoD contracts, DoD regulations and federal laws. DoD requires Oshkosh to obtain the agreement of its suppliers to comply with the same IA requirements that Oshkosh must observe for protecting CUI. Accordingly, Oshkosh will share CUI with its supplier subject to the following conditions detailed in the supplier self certification letter - Attachment 1 of this section and DFARS flow down clause 252.204-7012 - Attachment 2 of this section.

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