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Subject: Supply Chain Cybersecurity Compliance Update

Dear Valued Supply Chain Partner:

This past April in our [Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification \(CMMC\) Update](#), we announced the stand-up of the [CyberAssist](#) website. I am pleased to share that [CyberAssist](#) has since been enhanced to include practice descriptions for all five (5) levels of the Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certification (CMMC) Program to support you on your path to CMMC certification.

We know you are working diligently to prepare your company. [CyberAssist](#) will continue to be enhanced to provide you with resources and educational materials to support your business. If you have not done so already, please take this opportunity to explore site content.

CMMC assessor training is about to begin and we currently understand CMMC will begin to roll out in Government Fiscal Year 2021 through 10 to 15 Pilot Programs that have not yet been identified. We continue to anticipate the release of the proposed FAR and DFARS cybersecurity rules for comment.

Thank you for your continued commitment to enhance your cybersecurity position to further strengthen our collective information security posture across the entire Defense Industrial Base (DIB).

We value your continuous support of the missions of our Customers in this time of constant change and, most importantly, we hope you and your employees are safe and healthy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patricia M. McMahon". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Patricia M. McMahon

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