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To: Michelle Moldenhauer
Director, Office of Information Systems Security, and
Chairperson, Federal PKI Policy Authority

From:

Subject: Letter of Authorization to Cross-Certify the United States Department of [Bureau]
with the Production Federal Bridge Certification Authority

The Federal PKI Policy Authority (FPKI Policy Authority) Chairperson, Michelle Moldenhauer, authorizes the Federal Bridge Certification Authority (FBCA) Operational Authority (OA), to cross-certify with the United States Department of the [Bureau] in the Production FBCA.

The analysis of Agency Certificate Authority demonstrations for United States Department of the [Bureau] provided by the FBCA OA reported that the United States Department of the [Bureau] has successfully completed technical interoperability in the Prototype FBCA. The FPKI Policy Authority recommends that the United States Department of the [Bureau] be approved for cross-certification in the “production” FBCA.

The United States Department of the [Bureau] has been successfully policy mapped to the following assurance levels with the FBCA Certificate Policy.

1. Rudimentary
2. Basic
3. Medium

4. High

The United States Department of the [Bureau] has provided the FPKI Policy Authority with the X.500 distinguished name of the Principal Certification Authority that is requesting cross certification with the FBCA. **[EXAMPLE FOLLOWS]**

1. c=US; o=U.S. Government; ou=[Bureau]; ou=Certification Authorities; ou=[Bureau] CA; cn= US [Bureau] Root CA

Because the United States Department of the [Bureau] is cross certifying with the FBCA at both Medium and High levels of assurance, the information that populates the X.509v3 extension - nameConstraints needs to be defined here: **[EXAMPLE FOLLOWS]**

1. ExcludedSubTrees: DN: :ou=[Bureau], o=U.S. Government, c=US

The following policy object identifiers (OID's) have been assigned by the United States Department of the [Bureau] CA certificate policy as follows: **[EXAMPLE FOLLOWS]**

1. 2.16.840.1.101.X.X.X.X.X [Rudimentary]
2. 2.16.840.1.101.X.X.X.X.X [Basic]
3. 2.16.840.1.101.X.X.X.X.X [Medium]
4. 2.16.840.1.101.X.X.X.X.X [High]

The United States Department of the [Bureau] has provided the FPKI Policy Authority with the following information via official channels and on official United States Department of the [Bureau] letterhead. **[EXAMPLE FOLLOWS]**

1. Organization Name
 - a.
2. Organization Headquarter/CA operational site mailing address
 - a.
3. Name of agency Authorized Official
 - a. [Name]
 - b. [\[email\]](#) address]
 - c. [Work Telephone number]
4. Authorization letter of the allowed representative(s) to act in such an official capacity
 - a. Attached, sent via digitally signed email to IATAC (dilley_brian@bah.com) support for the FPKI Policy Authority Chairperson
5. Name and contact information for agency technical representative(s) (primary and alternates) that will be completing the cross-certification with the FBCA and maintaining interoperability with FBCA. **[Need Technical and Managerial Primary and Secondary POC's Here]**
 - a. Identity of Primary POC:

- i. [Name]
 - ii. Primary POC telephone number:
 - iii. Primary POC email address:
- b. Identity of Alternate POC:
 - i. [Name]
 - ii. Alternate POC telephone number:
 - iii. Alternate POC email address:

The United States Department of the [Bureau] has demonstrated security procedures that protect all “private keys” that are used or will be exchanged during this cross certification procedure.

With the above information, the FPKI Policy Authority Chairperson, Michelle Moldenhauer, authorizes the FBCA OA to commence interoperability operations with the United States Department of the [Bureau].

Respectfully;

[Bureau Representative]