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(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) BND – Bundesnachrichtendienst – German Federal Intelligence Service. The fact that the BND has a SIGINT mission is UNCLASSIFIED. The fact that the BND has a presence at Mangfall Kaserne and the fact that the BND conducts SIGINT at Mangfall Kaserne are both classified.

(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) DCIG – Defense Communications Interoperability Group – DCIG is a cover designator used to represent the SUSLAG organization in UNCLASSIFIED fora. DCIG should not be used in UNCLASSIFIED fora in association with NSA.

(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) FIFTYEXCLAIM - FIFTYEXCLAIM is the coverterm representing NSA's contract with Computer Sciences Corporation (CSC) for mission support. All publicly available information regarding work on this contract at Mangfall Kaserne will be sanitized so that no association with NSA will be made. This will entail removal of references to Maryland Procurement Office/MPO, NSA-related DODAICs, NSA civilian/military affiliate names, NSA phone numbers, etc. (This is not an all-inclusive list.)

(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) JSA – Joint SIGINT Activity – JSA is the joint NSA/BND organization that performs SIGINT collection at Mangfall Kaserne. The title JSA should only be used in classified fora.

(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) SUSLAG – Special U.S. Liaison Activity Germany – SUSLAG is the NSA organization at Mangfall Kaserne that conducts foreign liaison with the BND. JSA falls under SUSLAG for administrative actions. The title SUSLAG should only be used in classified fora.

Description of Information	Classification/Markings	Reason	Declass	Remarks
A. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) NSA PRESENCE AT MANGFALL KASERNE				
1. (U) The fact of the presence of U.S. personnel at Mangfall Kaseme.	UNCLASSIFIED	N/A	N/A	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) No association with NSA, SIGINT, intelligence, or the BND.
2. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact of an NSA presence at Mangfall Kaseme.	SECRET//COMINT REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) Mention of a SIGINT mission at Mangfall Kaserne is classified SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR and NZL.
3. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact of a SUSLAG presence at Mangfall Kaserne.	SECRET//COMINT REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) Mention of a SIGINT mission at Mangfall Kaserne is classified SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR and NZL.
4. (U) The fact of the DCIG presence at Mangfall Kaserne.	UNCLASSIFIED	N/A	N/A	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) No association with NSA, SIGINT, intelligence, or the BND.
5. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact of the JSA presence at Mangfall Kaseme.	SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
B. (U) ASSOCIATIONS				
(U) Note that if an entity's association with NSA is classified, that entity's association with other NSA organizations is also classified.				
1. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of NSA with SUSLAG.	SECRET//COMINT REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
2. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of NSA with the DCIG.	SECRET//COMINT REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
3. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of SUSLAG with the DCIG.	SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	

4.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of SUSLAG with the BND.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
5.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of the DCIG with the BND.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR and NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
6.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of NSA with the JSA.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
7.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of SUSLAG with the JSA.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
8.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of the DCIG with the JSA.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
9.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of the JSA with the BND.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
C. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR and NZL) NSA/BND RELATIONSHIP					
1.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of NSA with the BND.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR and NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
2.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact that the BND is one of NSA's Third Party partners.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
3.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) Details regarding the NSA/BND SIGINT relationship.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL (at a minimum)	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	(U) Consult the Country Desk Officer for Germany for additional information.
D. (U) CONTRACT IT SUPPORT					
1.	(U) The association of NSA with the FIFTYEXCLAIM contract.	UNCLASSIFIED	N/A	N/A	
2.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of SUSLAG with the FIFTYEXCLAIM contract.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
3.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of DCIG with the FIFTYEXCLAIM contract.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
4.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of JSA with the FIFTYEXCLAIM contract.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	

5.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of the BND with the FIFTYEXCLAIM contract.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
E. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) SUSLAG/DCIG MISSION					
1.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The identification of the SUSLAG mission as follows: “SUSLAG is DIRNSA’s in-theater foreign liaison representative to the BND SIGINT organization.”	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, and NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
2.	(U) The identification of the DCIG mission as follows: “DCIG is an organization of DoD technicians and U.S. contractors that provide operations and maintenance support for antennas and high-performance communications equipment at Mangfall Kaserne.”	UNCLASSIFIED	N/A	N/A	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The association of the DCIG with its true SIGINT mission is classified SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR and NZL at a minimum, depending on the level of detail provided.
F. (S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) JSA MISSION					
1.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The identification of the JSA mission as follows: “The JSA is a joint NSA/BND organization whose mission is SIGINT development and collection of digital network communications and international telecommunications traffic.”	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, and NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
2.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact that NSA and BND jointly, as JSA, perform SIGINT collection at Mangfall Kaseme.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
3.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) Details regarding SIGINT collection performed by JSA at Mangfall Kaseme.	SECRET//COMINT//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL (at a minimum)	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	

4.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The identification of entities or communications technologies targeted and/or collected by JSA.	SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL (at a minimum)	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
5.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact that JSA targets and collects satellite communications (FORNSAT).	SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
7.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact that JSA has a SIGINT development mission.	SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	
8.	(S//SI//REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL) The fact that JSA forwards selected target communications to NSA.	SECRET//COMINT// REL TO USA, AUS, CAN, DEU, GBR, NZL	1.4 (c) (d)	20291123	