

(U//FOUO) Keeping Customer Account Managers Informed

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(U//FOUO) As you know, SID has a very robust Customer Engagement Strategy that involves many people and organizations across all directorates to ensure that SID successfully supports its customers. Success depends on teaming so that we speak with one voice to customers. The linchpin of this team is the Customer Account Managers (AM) in S11.

(U//FOUO) Working very closely with the Senior Executive Account Managers (SEAM), they are the headquarters advocates for the entire SID relationship with each customer. As such, the AMs are the primary focal point for the customer to engage the SIGINT enterprise. This does not mean that everything goes through them, but that they need to be aware of issues related to the customers so they can engage when appropriate as well as document issues for the SIGINT enterprise.

(U//FOUO) As each of you meets and works issues with customers, plans new initiatives, meetings, visits, etc., please ensure that the AMs are informed of your engagement activities and, where practicable, include them in your customer meetings and discussions and courtesy copy them on email exchanges. This will ensure that we have the most complete profile of each customer and the proper engagement strategy to keep the relationship healthy. The following URL contains a complete listing of both AMs and SEAMs:

(U//FOUO) Thanks for your continuing efforts to ensure that NSA remains at the top of the Intelligence Community in customer engagement.

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