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To: ACI-NA Public Safety & Security Committee

Re: TSA FY 2008 Spend Plan Approved

Date: May 12, 2008

TSA has just provided the following information regarding approval of its Fiscal Year 2008 Spend Plan:

The TSA Office of Security Technology has been given the authorization and funding to execute Fiscal Year 2008 spend plans for the Electronic Baggage Screening Program (EBSP) and the Passenger Screening Program (PSP).

Electronic Baggage Screening Program (EBSP):

The FY08 spend plan for the EBSP accounts for \$544M of funding, which will support funding agreements with airport operators for baggage screening projects, as well as to support the purchase of baggage screening equipment and TSA engineering and installation efforts. TSA is in the process of notifying the 17 airport operators who will be allocated funds for projects, based on funding and equipment requests received, of the specific details of the funding.

In addition to the FY2008 appropriations, TSA is also allocating \$268M of funding from the 2007 War Supplemental Bill from which 13 airport projects will be supported by funding agreements with the airport operators, as well as screening equipment purchases and installation efforts.

TSA is also currently in the process of prioritizing equipment and funding requests for FY2009 spending.

Passenger Screening Program (PSP):

The PSP FY2008 budget will support various activities including; deployment of Advanced Technology X-Ray machines at the nation's largest airport checkpoints, pilot testing for qualifying exit lane technologies, additional testing of Whole Body Imagers and Stand-off Detection Devices, and the continued support of checkpoint lane expansion and lifecycle replacements.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact [Charles Chambers](#), Senior Vice President, Security and Facilitation, at (202) 861-8081 or [Lydia T. Kellogg](#), Senior Manager, Public Safety and Security, at (202) 861-8082.

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