

Expedited Embassy Licensing Review Process

The State Department's Office of Defense Trade Controls (ODTC) will establish a special embassy licensing program to expedite the review and processing of a request for export (DSP-5 and DSP-85) to NATO countries, Australia and Japan that can be completed by DTC or that requires a review by the Department of Defense. Any request submitted by the Embassy electronically would be identified one day after receipt in DTC. The embassy will be required to transmit all the required background information (e.g. DSP-83s, complete information on the program, technical description on the product, freight forwarder list, etc.) via a dedicated FAX or via express overnight delivery. DTC will take final action or staff the case to DoD within 10 calendar days of receipt of the complete package. DoD will be advised electronically of those cases that will require their review and the application and background information will be forwarded in an expedited manner. DoD will complete its review of the case in 10 calendar days and electronically forward their position to DTC. The case will be processed by DTC within 3 days of receipt from DoD, unless such action can not be taken due to other requirements (e.g. congressional notification, need for special assurances, etc.).