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MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: VMware ESXi 5.0 Server Security Technical Implementation Guide (STIG)
Version 1

Reference: DoD Directive 8500.1

1. DoD Directive 8500.1 requires that "all IA and IA-enabled IT products incorporated into DoD information systems shall be configured in accordance with DoD approved security configuration guidelines" and tasks DISA to "develop and provide security configuration guidance for IA and IA-enabled IT products in coordination with Director NSA."
2. All technical NIST SP 800-53 requirements were considered while developing this STIG. Requirements that are applicable and configurable are included in this STIG. A compliance report marked For Official Use Only (FOUO) is available for those items that did not meet requirements. This report is available to component DAA personnel for risk assessment purposes by request via email to disa.letterkenny.FSO.mbx.stig-customer-supportmailbox@mail.mil.
3. Under the authority of DoD Directive 8500.1, DISA hereby releases the VMware ESXi 5.0 Server Security Technical Implementation Guide (STIG) Version 1 for immediate use as a DoD-approved security configuration guideline. The guide is available on <http://iase.disa.mil>.
4. Point of contact for this action is FSO STIG Support Desk, email: disa.letterkenny.FSO.mbx.stig-customer-support-mailbox@mail.mil.

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