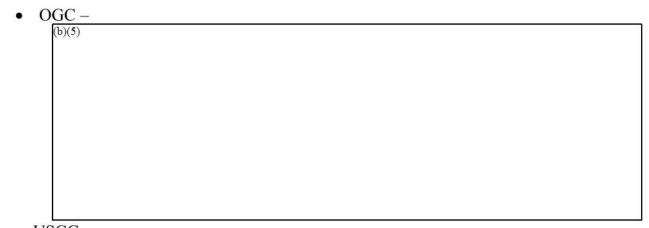
Presidential Transition Strategic Issue Paper Topic List

The following table lists the Strategic Issue Paper topics approved by the DMAG on August 10, 2016 as well as recommended co-leads for each topic. In addition to co-leads, the PTO is also identifying recommended and requested consultations with other Components and Offices, which will be included in the advance notification and formal tasker once approved by the Secretary. The co-leads for each topic are responsible for coordinating input from other stakeholders.

DMAG feedback on the process and the outcome was positive. The DMAG approved the initial list of 30 strategic issue papers and requested the changes listed below. All requested changes were accepted by the PTO and are reflected in the table.



- USCG
 - Requested specific co-lead assignment to:
 - Combating Transnational Criminal Organizations
 - Coast Guard Recapitalization
 - Arctic and Polar Issues
 - Cybersecurity
 - Armed Service Secretary Roles and Responsibilities
 - o Requested to consult on 10 other issue papers
- TSA
 - Requested a correction to the tile of the "Enhancing Aviation Security"
 paper to "Enhancing International Aviation Security"
 - Requested addition of a paper on REAL ID
- ICE
 - Requested the ICE's LE pay issue be included in the "Hiring and Recruitment" paper
 - Requested addition of a paper on "Countries That Fail to Cooperate in the Repatriation of Their Citizens"

- Requested addition of a paper on "Immigration Data Modernization and Governance"
- I&A
 - Supported the following PTO recommendations from the "Additional Topics for Consideration" list
 - Significant Litigation
 - Unity of Effort
 - NCR Consolidation
 - Congressional Oversight
- CBP
 - o Supported all PTO recommended "Additional Topics for Consideration"
- FEMA -
 - Requested additional papers on the Disaster Relief Fund and the National Flood Insurance Program
- USCIS
 - Requested the paper on Central American Minors and Unaccompanied Alien Children be separated into two separate papers

Strategic Issue Papers Policy and Operations				
Counterterrorism	I&A	СВР		
Security and Facilitation of Travel	СВР	TSA		
Immigration Overview	PLCY	USCIS		
Persistent Threats to Transportation Security	TSA	СВР		
(b)(5)	NPPD	OGC		
ICE Enforcement Areas of Focus	ICE	СВР		
Countering Violent Extremism	ОСР	PLCY		
Screening and Vetting	PLCY	USCIS		
National Preparedness System	FEMA	NPPD		

Emerging Infectious Disease, Biological, and Chemical Threats	ОНА	СВР
Combating Transnational Criminal Organizations	USCG	СВР
Enhancing International Aviation Security	TSA	PLCY
Preventing Nuclear Terrorism	DNDO	S&T
Watchlisting Overview	PLCY	USCIS
(b)(5)	OGC	FEMA
DHS Big Data	OCIO	S&T
Enforcement, Facilitation, and Security of Trade	СВР	ICE
Insider Threat and Integrity Management Programs	CSO	I&A
Countries That Fail to Cooperate in the Repatriation of Their Citizens	ICE	PLCY
Central American Minors Program	USCIS	СВР
Unaccompanied Alien Children	USCIS	СВР
Refugee Processing and Vetting	USCIS	I&A
Arctic / Polar Issues	USCG	S&T
Information Sharing with Foreign Partners	PLCY	I&A
Real ID	PLCY	TSA
Ma	nagement and Resources	
Topic	Co-Lead	Co-Lead
Border Security and Migration (trends, strategy, technology, statistics)	СВР	ICE

Detention Bed Space and Cost	ICE	CFO		
Coast Guard Recapitalization	USCG	CFO		
Immigration Data Modernization and Governance	ICE	СВР		
FY18 Budget Development Plan	CFO	PLCY		
Significant Litigation	OGC	СВР		
National Flood Insurance Program	FEMA	CFO		
Unity of Effort	MGMT	JRC		
NCR Consolidation / St. Elizabeth Campus	CRSO	CFO		
Congressional Oversight	OLA	CFO		
Disaster Relief Fund	FEMA	CFO		
Armed Service Secretary Role and Responsibilities	USCG	MilAide Office		
Employees and Engagement				
Topic	Co-Lead	Co-Lead		
Insider Threat and Integrity Management Programs (discipline, polygraph, use of force, complaint system)	CSO	I&A		
Hiring and Recruitment (includes TSA, CBP and USSS-specific hiring and pay issues – addt'l pages allowed)	СНСО	CSO		
Employee Engagement	СНСО	N/A		