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DoD Voice Network 2003 Generic Switching Center Requirements Guidance

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Purpose

**Provide an Overview of DSN SSM Guidance
Memo on Use of the GSCR 2003 As
Coordinated with the DSN CCB May 2004**

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Background

- ▶ **GSCR 2003 was approved by the Joint Staff and approved by ASD(NII) on 8 September 2003.**
- ▶ **JITC's DSN Generic Switch Test Plan, based on GSCR 2003, was signed and is posted on the JITC website**

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Guidance

- ▶ **Deployed Switches:** All switch certifications granted prior to the GSCR 2003, will remain in effect and are authorized for use as DOD Telecom Switches, pending IA Accreditation
- ▶ **New Switches:** Acquisitions that are underway shall adhere to GSCR 2003 unless ASD(NII) grants a waiver based on where the acquisition is in the RFP to Award cycle.

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Guidance

- ▶ **For JITC testing, adherence to the GSCR 2003 is as follows:**
 - **For Telecom Switch types not defined prior to the GSCR 2003; PBX1, PBX2 and RSU; adherence to the GSCR 2003 is mandatory and effectively immediately.**
 - **New requirements for Telecom Switch types defined prior to the GSCR 2003; TS (SA), MFS, EO, and SMEO; that were not included in Reference b. are not mandatory until 1 April 2005. Vendors, however, are encouraged to attempt to comply with GSCR 2003 if possible.**

- ▶ **Conditions not covered above shall require a waiver by ASD(NII)**

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