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To: TSMAD Members

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<u>S-58</u>

Dear All,

Tom Richardson and Richard Fowle have asked me to forward a request to review S-58 (below), the only thing I would add to this, is to stress the high importance of making sure that you make every effort to participate in the review. It's the quality of everyone's data we are trying to improve.

Paper <u>TSMAD25-4.7.2</u> proposed the re-classification and re-wording of the S-58 Checks, it was agreed that these changes should be circulated to the full TSMAD for review.

In order to simplify the review of the rewording and classification the review will be broken into two phases;

Phase 1

- Review of check rewording and messages by production software manufacturers,
- Review of the classification of checks and new or amended checks by the full TSMAD membership.

Phase 2

• Review of the combined changes resulting from phase 1 in advance of TSMAD 26. for approval in advance of submission to HSSC 5.

Please find attached the classified checks for review. Please review the classification of these checks bearing in mind the TSMAD objective to establish a minimum set of mandatory checks to which an ENC must conform, as instructed by HSSC. Any proposed changes must be made using the spreadsheet provided. Only proposed changes with proper justification will be accepted, no comments. Completed reviews must be returned to Tom (Thomas.Richardson@ukho.gov.uk) by the Friday 26th April 2013.

New or amended checks agreed by the S-58 sub working group are included in green text in the attached document and should also be reviewed.

The classification categories are defined at the start of the document. The classification reflects the user impact rather than strict adherence to guidance contained in the Use of the Object Catalogue for ENC Please use the attached form for comments.

Best Regards,

Barrie Greenslade Chairman, TSMAD