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Dear Colleague,

The Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Deputy Chief Information Officer (DASD/Deputy CIO) invites you to attend the Defense@E-Business CIO Roundtable Luncheons held during the April 24-25, 2000, "Distributed Networked Computing for a Secure Defense" Conference at the Crystal City Hilton. This exclusive function will provide a forum for industry's top Information Technology (IT) leaders and our Federal IT leadership to discuss IT cross cutting issues and strategies for successfully transitioning into this new paradigm.

The goal of the **Defense@E-Business CIO Roundtable Luncheons** is to provide senior Federal IRM Executives an interactive environment to engage their industry counterparts in high-caliber discussions. Also attending will be our distinguished speakers who will offer their unique perspective on how to best transition into the Secure Distributed Networked Computing paradigm. Each of the two Roundtables will begin with a summary of the briefings, and move into a question and answer session with the head table. The head table will include distinguished speakers from both government and industry (see <http://www.TheOTG.com/OSD> for speaker information) and will focus on the following topics:

April 24<sup>th</sup>: Architecture Strategies for Distributed Computing and the C4ISR  
April 25<sup>th</sup>: EB/EC Crossroads: Information Assurance and Interoperability

Please RSVP to secure your seat at either the April 24<sup>th</sup> or 25<sup>th</sup> CIO Roundtable Luncheon by calling 703-768-0400, or emailing to [info@e-interop.com](mailto:info@e-interop.com) or going on-line to <http://www.TheOTG.com/OSD>. Since space is very limited, please act quickly to take advantage of this unique forum. There are 50 seats reserved for each of the CIO Roundtable Luncheons and we can only accept reservations on a first-come, first serve basis. The cost for the CIO Roundtable Luncheon is only \$35.

You and your IT support staff are also encouraged to participate in the broader Defense@E-Business educational program as well. Registration for the conference can be done on-line at <http://www.TheOTG.com/OSD>. My staff will forward to you both electronic and hard copy invites that you can disseminate to your community.

Sincerely,

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(Deputy CIO)

