

**Re: Suggested Changes to the National Telecommunications and Information  
Administration – Federal Communication Commission Memorandum of Understanding**

The National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA) Industry-DOD Spectrum Working Group, a group comprised of representatives from the defense and telecommunication industries, seeks to provide the following suggested changes to the NTIA – FCC MOU.

For more information about the NDIA Industry-DOD Spectrum Working Group, visit:  
[www.ndia.org/divisions/working-groups/spectrum-working-group](http://www.ndia.org/divisions/working-groups/spectrum-working-group).

To provide a response or with questions, please contact NDIA lead for this program, Corbin Evans, Principal Director of Strategic Programs at [CEvans@NDIA.org](mailto:CEvans@NDIA.org).

**Suggested Changes:**

- Increase FCC Chairman/NTIA Administrator meetings to quarterly
- Expand scope of meeting to include international spectrum strategy/advocacy (e.g., ITU, CITEL)
- Extend coordination period to 30 days for non-routine matters, defined to include both in band and adjacent band matters
- Create standing working group to discuss spectrum initiatives by both agencies, including practices to promote increased trust and efficiency in processes
- Develop a classification guide to better enable collaboration between NTIA / FCC / DOD
- Include an escalation path in Executive Branch and timeline for non-consensus items