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MEMORANDUM FOR: Directors, Field Operations  
Office of Field Operations

Director, Preclearance Operations

FROM: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)/s/  
Acting Executive Director  
Admissibility and Passenger Programs

SUBJECT: Trusted Traveler Programs Membership Benefits

U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) is committed to enhancing legitimate trade and travel while maintaining the highest level of border security and integrity. Trusted Traveler Programs allow pre-enrolled, low-risk participants to receive expedited border processing, enabling CBP to direct additional scrutiny to the unknown, potentially higher risk, travelers arriving at ports of entry. This memo outlines the benefits of membership in the NEXUS, Global Entry, and Secure Electronic Network for Travelers Rapid Inspection (SENTRI) programs.

Membership in the NEXUS program affords members the following benefits:

- Issuance of RFID enabled NEXUS identification cards;
- Expedited passage via NEXUS-dedicated lanes at the Northern land borders when entering both the U.S. and Canada;
- Expedited passage via SENTRI-dedicated lanes when entering the U.S. from Mexico (provided that the vehicle is registered with CBP);
- Use of NEXUS kiosks when entering Canada via air;
- Use of Global Entry kiosks when entering the U.S. at Canadian and other CBP Preclearance locations;
- Use of Global Entry kiosks when entering the U.S. at U.S. airports;
- Expedited processing in the marine environment by reporting their arrival into the U.S. and Canada by calling a marine telephone reporting center; and
- TSA PreCheck eligibility for NEXUS members who are U.S. citizens, U.S. Lawful Permanent Residents, or Canadian citizens.

Membership in the Global Entry program affords members the following benefits:

- Issuance of RFID enabled Global Entry identification cards;
- Expedited passage via NEXUS-dedicated lanes at the Northern land border when entering the U.S. from Canada;

- Expedited passage via SENTRI-dedicated lanes at the Southern land border when entering the U.S. from Mexico (provided that the vehicle is registered with CBP);
- Use of Global Entry kiosks when entering the U.S. at Preclearance locations;
- Use of Global Entry kiosks when entering the U.S. at U.S. airports; and
- TSA PreCheck eligibility for all Global Entry members.

Membership in the SENTRI program affords members the following benefits:

- Issuance of RFID enabled SENTRI identification cards;
- Expedited passage via NEXUS-dedicated lanes at the Northern land border when entering the U.S. from Canada;
- Expedited passage via SENTRI-dedicated lanes at the Southern land border when entering the U.S. from Mexico (provided that the vehicle is registered with CBP);
- Use of Global Entry kiosks for U.S. citizen and U.S. Lawful Permanent Resident SENTRI members when entering the U.S. at Preclearance locations;
- Use of Global Entry kiosks for U.S. citizen and U.S. Lawful Permanent Resident SENTRI members when entering the U.S. at U.S. airports; and
- TSA PreCheck eligibility for U.S. citizen and U.S. Lawful Permanent Resident SENTRI members.

If you have any questions concerning this memo, please have a member of your staff contact (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), Director, Trusted Traveler Programs, at (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), or (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Program Manager, at (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)