

# Acronym Guide

**AGO** – Attorney General’s Office  
**ASAC** – Assistant Special Agent in Charge (FBI)  
**ATF** – Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms/Explosives  
**AUSA** – Assistant United States Attorney  
**B&E** – Breaking and Entering  
**BDUs** – Battle Dress Uniforms (military)  
**BEP** – Bureau of Engraving and Printing  
**CD** – FBI Counterintelligence Division  
**CETF** – **Children’s Exploitation Task Force**\*\*\*  
**CID** – FBI Criminal Investigative Division  
**CITSD** – **Covert Intelligence Technical Support Division**\*\*\*  
**CTD** – FBI Counterterrorism Division  
**DCI** – Director of the CIA  
**DCS** – Director of Clandestine Services (CIA)  
**DGSE** – Directorate-General for Security External (French Intelligence)  
**DHS** – Department of Homeland Security  
**DNI** – Director of National Intelligence  
**DNIC** – Directorate of National Intelligence Complex  
**DOJ** – Department of Justice  
**DOD** – Department of Defense  
**FCI** – Federal Correctional Institution  
**FL** – Flight Level (Altitude of a plane or jet)  
**FSB** – Russia’s Federal Security Service (after KGB ended)  
**ICMA** – **International Covert Military Alliance** \*\*\*  
**IPA** – **International Police Alliance**\*\*\*  
**KGB** – Russian Intelligence until 1991  
**LEO** – Law Enforcement Officer  
**MND** – Ministry of National Defense (China)  
**MO** – Modus Operandi (method of operation)  
**MPDC** – Metropolitan Police District of Columbia  
**NOC** – Non-official Cover (CIA Undercover Operative)  
**OCU** – Organized Crime Unit  
**ODNI** – Office of the Director of National Intelligence  
**OIA** – Office of International Affairs  
**ONI** – Office of Naval Intelligence  
**PDDNI** – Principal Deputy Director of National Intelligence  
**RCIPS** – Royal Cayman Island Police Service  
**RGB** – Reconnaissance General Bureau (N. Korean Intelligence)  
**ROK** – Republic of Korea (S. Korea’s Official Name)  
**RPG** – Rocket Propelled Grenade  
**SECDEF** – Secretary of Defense (also **SOD**)  
**SECNAV** – Secretary of the Navy  
**SIRU** – **Strategic Intelligence Response Unit**\*\*\*  
**SOP** – Standard Operating Procedure  
**Stuxnet** – (Google it!)  
**TICRU** – **Tactical Intelligence Community Response Unit**\*\*\*  
**Unsubs** – Unknown Subjects  
**VCAC** – Violent Crimes Against Children—FBI CID Department

**IC** – Intelligence Community – US Intelligence Agencies:

## INDEPENDENT AGENCIES:

- Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)
- **Strategic Intelligence Response Unit (SIRU)**\*\*\*
- **Tactical Intelligence Community Response Unit (TICRU)**\*\*\*

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE:

- Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA)
- National Security Agency (NSA)
- National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)
- National Reconnaissance Office (NRO)
- Air Force Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance Agency (AFISRA)
- Army Intelligence and Security Command (INSCOM)
- Marine Corps Intelligence Activity (MCIA)
- Office of Naval Intelligence (ONI)

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY:

- Office of Intelligence and Counterintelligence (OICI)

## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (DHS):

- Office of Intelligence and Analysis (I&A)
- Coast Guard Intelligence (CGI)

## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE:

- Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)
- Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)
- Office of National Security Intelligence (ONSI)
- Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms & Explosives (ATF)

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE:

- Bureau of Intelligence and Research (INR)

## DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY:

- Office of Terrorism and Financial Intelligence (TFI)

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