

June 10, 2010

Dear Depository Library Coordinator:

The U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO) has been informed by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), Agency-wide STI Program Office that a collection of NASA technical publications contains personally sensitive information and that these publications should not be made available to the public. These documents were distributed to FDLP libraries in microfiche format from the 1980s through the early 2000s.

NASA has identified a total of 166 documents that contain personally sensitive information. GPO's research has indicated that not all of the documents identified by NASA were distributed to depository libraries. Only those that GPO can identify as being distributed to libraries will be subject to this withdrawal. Of the 166 documents identified by NASA, 88 have been identified as having been distributed to depository libraries. Should additional titles be identified, GPO will issue additional withdrawal actions.

As Acting Superintendent of Documents, I am instructing all libraries to identify, withdraw, and destroy (by the best available means) these documents as quickly as possible. Bibliographic information for the documents that are subject to this withdrawal action is enclosed. All withdrawal and destruction activities must be completed by September 1, 2010. Depending on selection profiles and collection weeding practices, your library may have all, none, or a select number of the 88 documents.

All libraries must confirm that they have complied with this withdrawal action by completing a form on the FDLP Desktop at: http://www.fdlp.gov/component/content/article/42-distribution/701-nasa-withdrawal-062010>. Please consult the FDLP Desktop article for more detailed information regarding this withdrawal action.

GPO will not be sending replacement copies in microfiche format. The NASA, Agency-wide STI Program Office has provided GPO with official versions of the documents in Adobe Portable Document Format (PDF) with the personally sensitive information redacted. GPO will catalog and PURL the PDF versions and update the microfiche cataloging records. The PURL will be directed to copies that have been harvested, archived, and stored on GPO servers.

All newly-created cataloging records and updated records will be available in the CGP and OCLC by September 1, 2010.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have further questions about this withdrawal action, please submit your questions via AskGPO, category "Withdrawal/Recall".

Sincerely,

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