



**Daniel R. Blair**  
**Deputy Inspector General for Auditing**

Mr. Blair became the Deputy Inspector General for Auditing on November 7, 2010 and was appointed to the Senior Executive Service on June 26, 2008. Prior to accepting this position, Mr. Blair held the position of Principal Assistant Inspector General for Auditing in DoD IG from February 14, 2010. Mr. Blair also served as the Principal Deputy Assistant Inspector General for the Defense Business Operations Directorate. In this capacity, he focused on a wide variety of financial management challenges facing the Department of Defense (DoD) and led numerous financial statement, systems and financial related audits. Mr. Blair joined DoD IG in September 2006.

Prior to joining the DoD IG, Mr. Blair worked at the Government Accountability Office (GAO) for 16 years. While at GAO, he served as an Assistant Director in the Financial Management and Assurance and the Financial Markets and Community Investment Teams. As such, he led numerous audit teams focusing extensively on risks to the bank insurance fund, the government-wide challenges of implementing the Credit Reform Act, improper payments, and property accountability. Prior to GAO, Mr. Blair worked for three years in public accounting, where he performed a variety of accounting, auditing and management advisory services. Mr. Blair also served as an Army Military Police platoon leader at Ft. McNair, and as a K-9 platoon leader and Deputy Provost Marshal at Ft. Myer.

Mr. Blair received a B.A degree in Criminal Justice from St. Anselm College in Manchester, New Hampshire, and a Certificate in Accounting from the University of Virginia. He is a Certified Public Accountant in the state of Virginia.



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