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SENATOR RUSSELL ENDORSES HELMS

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DAVID RUSH: "Senator Richard Russell of Georgia has strongly endorsed the appointment of Richard Helms as Chief of the Central Intelligence Agency. Russell heads the Congressional Subcommittee that supervises CIA activities.

"Helms, the Deputy Director of the Agency was named by President Johnson to succeed Admiral William Rayborn, who resigned."