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The Honorable Carlton E. Turner
Special Assistant to the President
for Drug Abuse Policy
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Dr. Turner:

I have reviewed the draft of the 1984 Federal Strategy for Prevention of Drug Abuse and Drug Trafficking. As you know, Executive Order 12333 authorizes the Intelligence Community, in accordance with law, to collect, produce and disseminate intelligence on the foreign aspects of narcotics production and trafficking. My review of the draft confirms that the Intelligence Community's role in contributing to the international objectives of the Federal Strategy is presented at a level of detail appropriate for a document reflecting national policy guidance.

As we continue to work together in implementing aspects of the Federal Strategy that are directed at foreign drug producing and transit areas, please be assured of the Intelligence Community's full support. We will continue to address all foreign dimensions of the complex narcotics issue while ensuring that our information is shared with other agencies responsible for implementing the Federal Strategy.

Sincerely,

/S/ John N. McMahon

John N. McMahon
Acting Director

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