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The Honorable Glenn English Chairman, Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice & Agriculture Committee on Government Operations House of Representatives 20515 Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Chairman:

When I testified before your Subcommittee on 10 May 1984, in support of H.R. 5164, you requested that CIA representatives work with your staff in drafting a more descriptive routine use statement for the Agency. pleased that we were able to accomplish the task expeditiously, and in that regard I would like to commend Messrs. Gellman and Parisi for their expert assistance and cooperation. As the new provision will serve the public interest, preparations for publication are already underway.

As you know, pursuant to the suggestions you made at your meeting with John McMahon, the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence, your staff has met with staff members of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence and this Agency

I understand that a satisfactory arrangement is being worked out. Again, I greatly appreciate the cooperation of you and your staff on this matter and look forward to early enactment of this legislation.

Sincerely, Executive Director 25X1

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