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Remarks To 13: For appropriate action/response (FYI: GC received a separate invitation).

[Signature Box]

Executive Secretary
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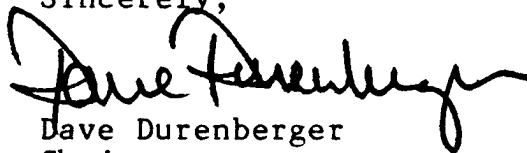
Dear Bob:

As you are aware, we held a meeting on August 13 with Executive branch legal counsels concerning Congressional notification and reporting requirements related to potential counter-terrorist operations. We were pleased by the willingness of Administration officials to discuss the difficult issues in this area on an informal basis.

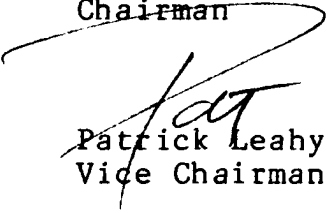
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Another opportunity to discuss these matters prior to the Fall recess would leave us in good position to keep abreast of activities through the remainder of the year as well as provide a foundation for further consideration of counter-terrorist issues during the next Congress. We understand that interagency coordination is currently underway on finalizing written responses to issues raised in a staff memorandum we circulated at the previous meeting, and have asked Judge Sofaer's office to provide the written materials to us by close of business Thursday, September 25.

Sincerely,



Dave Durenberger
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NOTE FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence
Executive Director

FROM:
General Counsel

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1. Attached is a letter I received on Friday afternoon from the SSCI inviting me to attend an "informal session" on October 1 to discuss congressional notification and reporting requirements related to potential counterterrorist operations.

2. The attached memorandum dated August 12 was distributed at an August 13 meeting with Executive Branch legal counsels to discuss the same subject. I had not been invited to the August 13 meeting.

3. As you can see from the letter of invitation, the Committee is anticipating a written response to the hypotheticals set forth in the August 12 memoranda.

4. I will coordinate with Dave Gries and schedule a meeting to get your views on this matter.

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Attachments
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