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NOTE FOR: The Acting Director
FROM: Dave Gries [redacted]
SUBJECT: Letter from Senator Helms

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I have drafted a proposed response to Senator Helms' letter and sent it to John Hotis at the FBI. Bill Baker is out of town. See copy attached.

I have also asked for a review of compliance with the Helms amendments. The response is attached, and it looks quite good.

During a telephone conversation this morning, Dave Sullivan said that he did not expect Senator Helms to raise serious objection to Judge Webster's nomination. However, he did advise a courtesy call, and I passed his suggestion on to Ron Sable, who advises they have been waiting for an appointment for some time. Sullivan told me to expect a letter on [redacted] one of the items mentioned in the Helms amendments.

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I have alerted Sven Holmes to these developments.