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The Honorable Dave Durenberger
Chairman
Select Committee on Intelligence
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

I am pleased to inform you that Director Casey has signed the supplemental covert action notification procedures. Enclosed is a copy of those procedures with the Director's signature.

I share your belief that the supplemental procedures will make a valuable contribution to the implementation of the requirement under the Intelligence Oversight Act that the Committee be kept fully and currently informed of all intelligence activities, including any significant anticipated intelligence activities. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

A similar letter is being provided to Vice-Chairman Leahy.

Sincerely,

/s/ David D. Gries

David D. Gries
Director of Congressional Affairs

Enclosure as stated

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ADDENDUM TO PROCEDURES GOVERNING
REPORTING TO THE SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE
ON INTELLIGENCE ON COVERT ACTION

1. In accordance with Paragraph 10 of the Procedures Governing Reporting to the SSCI on Covert Action, executed on June 6, 1984, the SSCI and the DCI have jointly reviewed the Procedures in order to assess their effectiveness and their impact on the ability of the Committee and the DCI to fulfill their respective responsibilities under section 501 of the National Security Act of 1947.

2. The Committee and the DCI agree that the Procedures have worked well and that they have aided the Committee and the DCI in the fulfillment of their respective responsibilities. The Committee and the DCI also agree to add the following Procedures set forth below:

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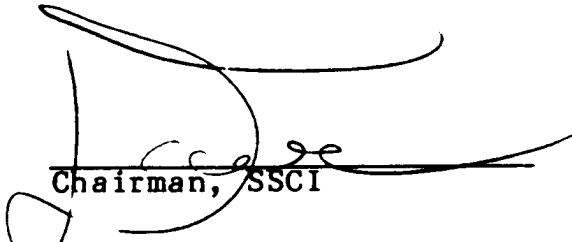
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5. The DCI understands that the Committee wishes to be informed if the President ever decides to waive, change, or rescind any Executive Order provision applicable to the conduct of covert action operations.

6. The Committee and the DCI recognize that the understandings and undertakings set forth in this document are subject to the possible exceptional circumstances contemplated in section 501 of the National Security Act.

7. The Procedures Governing Reporting to the SSCI on covert action, as modified by this agreement, will remain in force until modified by mutual agreement.


Chairman, SSCI
June 10, 1986
Date


DCI
June 17, 1986
Date


Vice Chairman, SSCI
June 5, 1986
Date