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Sen Helms

TO: SSCI Staff
U.S. Senate
Attention: GEORGE TENET AND GARY SOJKY

Attached is a "Point Paper" with background information on the INF Treaty. It relates specifically to statements made in a "Dear Colleague" letter by Senator Helms.

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Dear Senator Helms:

Your letter of April 27 poses a number of questions about the INF Treaty we are currently negotiating with the Soviets. I agree with you that two of the fundamental principles that should form the basis of all arms control negotiations are equality and verifiability. I welcome this opportunity to respond to your specific questions.

To give your questions a full reply, I have enclosed a point-by-point response to the issues you have raised. Thank you for this opportunity to respond to your questions.

Sincerely yours,

George P. Shultz

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Enclosure:

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