

**Commission on the Roles and Capabilities  
of the United States Intelligence Community**

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March 1, 1996

The President of the United States  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with section 904 of the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1995 (P.L. 103-359), we hereby transmit the final report of the Commission on the Roles and Capabilities of the U.S. Intelligence Community.

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The Commission's report, in fact, contains a number of recommendations for action by the Executive and Legislative branches. Separately enclosed are draft documents to implement these recommendations. Adoption of these proposals would, in the view of the Commission, produce a more effective, more efficient, and more responsive Intelligence Community to serve the nation's interests.

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Respectfully,



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The Honorable Arlen Specter, Chairman  
The Honorable Bob Kerrey, Vice Chairman  
Select Committee on Intelligence  
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The Honorable Larry Combest, Chairman  
The Honorable Norman D. Dicks, Ranking Minority Member  
Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence  
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