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April 7, 2014

The Honorable Barack Obama
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. President,

I am pleased to inform you that the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence has voted to send for declassification the Findings and Conclusions and Executive Summary of an updated version of the Committee's Study of the CIA's Detention and Interrogation Program. Both are enclosed. I request that you declassify these documents, and that you do so quickly and with minimal redactions. If Committee members write additional or minority views that they wish to have declassified and released as well, I will transmit those separately.

As this report covers a covert action program under the authority of the President and National Security Council, I respectfully request that the White House take the lead in the declassification process. I very much appreciate your past statements – and those of your Administration – in support of declassification of the Executive Summary and Findings and Conclusions with only redactions as necessary for remaining national security concerns. I also strongly share your Administration's goal to "ensure that such a program will not be contemplated by a future administration," as your White House Counsel wrote in a February 10, 2014, letter.

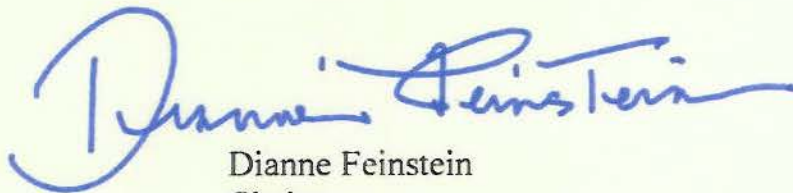
In addition to the Findings and Conclusions and Executive Summary, I will transmit separately copies of the full, updated classified report to you and to appropriate Executive Branch agencies. This report is divided into three volumes, exceeds 6,600 pages, and includes over 37,000 footnotes, and updates the version of the report I provided in December 2012. This full report should be considered as the final and official report from the Committee. I encourage and approve the

dissemination of the updated report to all relevant Executive Branch agencies, especially those who were provided with access to the previous version. This is the most comprehensive accounting of the CIA's Detention and Interrogation Program, and I believe it should be viewed within the U.S. Government as the authoritative report on the CIA's actions.

As I stated in my letter to you on December 14, 2012, the Committee's report contradicts information previously disclosed about the CIA Detention and Interrogation Program, and it raises a number of issues relating to how the CIA interacts with the White House, other parts of the Executive Branch, and Congress. I ask that your Administration declassify the Findings and Conclusions and Executive Summary of this updated report as soon as possible. I also look forward to working with you and your Administration in discussing recommendations that should be drawn from this report.

Thank you very much for your continued attention to this issue.

Sincerely yours,



Dianne Feinstein
Chairman

Enclosures: as stated

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