United States Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court United States Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court of Review Washington, DC

October 31, 2008

Honorable John D. Rockefeller IV Chairman Select Committee on Intelligence United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510-6475

Honorable Ron Wyden United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510-6475

Dear Chairman Rockefeller and Senator Wyden:

We are in receipt of your letter dated October 29, 2008. Coincidentally, the issue of the public release of Court opinions already had been identified as a topic for discussion at our judicial conference of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court and the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court of Review.

We will be pleased to provide a more substantive response after the Courts have reviewed and discussed the matter.

Sincerely,

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Presiding Judge, United States

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cc: Honorable Christopher S. Bond, Vice Chairman