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Mr. PRICE, from the Committee on Armed Services,  
submitted the following

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**9 JUL 1981**

**R E P O R T**

[To accompany H.R. 3454]

The Committee on Armed Services, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 3454) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1982 for the intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the U.S. Government, for the Intelligence Community Staff, and for the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, to authorize supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1981 for the intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the U.S. Government, and for other purposes, for consideration of such provisions of the bill as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee, having considered the same, reports favorably thereon without amendment and recommends that the bill do pass.

SEQUENTIAL REFERRAL

H.R. 3454 was originally referred only to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. Since Department of Defense intelligence-related activities are shared jointly with this committee and the select committee, pursuant to clause 1 (c), rule X of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the bill was sequentially referred on May 19, 1981, for consideration of those areas within the jurisdiction of this committee for a period ending not later than June 12, 1981.

PURPOSE

The committee action on H.R. 3454 would authorize appropriations and related matters for fiscal year 1982, jointly with the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for certain Department of Defense intelligence-related activities within the jurisdiction shared by this

committee pursuant to the provisions of clause 1(c), rule X and clause 2(b), rule XLVIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, and title 10, United States Code, section 138.

#### BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

The committee exercised its oversight jurisdiction, as shared with the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, with regard to those Department of Defense intelligence-related activities items which fall within the authorization authority of the committee as contained in title 10, United States Code, section 138.

In anticipation of the sequential referral of H.R. 3454, the report of the Committee on Armed Services on H.R. 3519, House Report 97-71, part 1, May 19, 1981, which would authorize Department of Defense appropriations for fiscal year 1982, reflects the agreement of this committee on those intelligence-related activities items. On June 10, 1981, by unanimous consent, the committee reaffirmed its action on intelligence-related activities in H.R. 3519, and favorably reported H.R. 3454, with regard to matters of joint responsibility.

Since the specific figures in the Department of Defense intelligence-related activities accounts remain classified, they are included only in the classified annex of the report on H.R. 3454 prepared by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence.

#### DEPARTMENTAL VIEWS

The programs approved were a part of the overall program submitted by the Department of Defense for authorization for appropriations for fiscal year 1982.

#### COMMITTEE POSITION

In anticipation of the sequential referral of H.R. 3454, the report of the Committee on Armed Services on H.R. 3519, House Report 97-71, part 1, May 19, 1981, which would authorize Department of Defense appropriations for fiscal year 1982, reflects the agreement of this committee on those intelligence-related activities items within the jurisdiction of this committee. The committee on May 12, 1981, a quorum being present, agreed to report H.R. 3519, by rollcall vote of 38 to 1. On June 10, 1981, by unanimous consent, the committee reaffirmed its action on intelligence-related activities in H.R. 3519, and favorably reported H.R. 3454, with regard to matters of joint responsibility.

#### FISCAL DATA

##### *Five-year cost projection*

Pursuant to clause 7, rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the committee reports that the cost estimate for fiscal years 1982 and the following four years as they relate to specific actions by the committee are included in the classified annex of the report on H.R. 3454 prepared by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. Accordingly, the committee adopts the comments of

the select committee in part I of the report on H.R. 3454, as they relate to matters within the jurisdiction of the Armed Services Committee.

*Congressional Budget Office estimate*

In compliance with clause 2(1)(3)(C), rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the committee adopts the comments of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence in part I of the report on H.R. 3454, as they relate to matters within the jurisdiction of the Armed Services Committee.

*Inflation-impact statement*

In compliance with clause 2(1)(4), rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the committee adopts the position of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence in part I of the report on H.R. 3454, as it relates to matters within the jurisdiction of the Armed Services Committee.

OVERSIGHT FINDINGS

With reference to clause 2(1)(3)(D), rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the committee has not received a report from the Committee on Government Operations pertaining to this subject matter.

In compliance with clause 2(b)(1), rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the committee reports that it reviewed carefully in extensive hearings in conjunction with H.R. 3519 the various aspects of intelligence-related activities of the Department of Defense, which are equally pertinent to those same programs as reflected in the classified annex of the report on H.R. 3454 prepared by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. Those hearings constitute but one element of the continuing examination of the national defense and intelligence establishments as a major segment of the committee's oversight responsibilities with regard to national security.

SUMMARY

*Background and purpose*

The committee action on H.R. 3454 would authorize appropriations and related matters for fiscal year 1982, jointly with the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for certain Department of Defense intelligence-related activities within the jurisdiction shared by this committee pursuant to the provisions of clause 1(c), rule X and clause 2(b), rule XLVIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives.

Since the matters acted on by the committee were confined basically to classified items in the Department of Defense intelligence-related activities category, the committee recommendations are reflected generally in the classified annex to the report on H.R. 3454 prepared by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. This committee and the select committee reached an agreement as to all matters that were jointly considered.

*Fiscal data*

The estimate of costs for fiscal year 1982 and the following four years as they relate to specific actions in the Department of Defense intelligence-related activities area by the committee are included in the classified annex to the report on H.R. 3454 prepared by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence.

*Departmental position*

The programs approved were a part of the overall program submitted by the Department of Defense for authorization for appropriations for fiscal year 1982.

COMMITTEE POSITION

The Committee on Armed Services on May 12, 1981, a quorum being present, agreed to report those provisions of the bill that are within the jurisdiction of this committee, by rollcall vote of 38 to 1. That action was reaffirmed on June 10, 1981 by unanimous consent when considering those matters of joint responsibility of H.R. 3454.

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