

19 December 2011

Mr. John P. Fitzpatrick, Director
Information Security Oversight Office
National Archives and Records Administration
Washington, D.C. 20408-0001

Dear Mr. Fitzpatrick:

(U//FOUO) I have enclosed the Central Intelligence Agency's (CIA) 2011 report on its self-inspection as required by Executive Order 13526 § 5.4 (d) (4). This is in response to a letter signed by Mr. William Cira on April 05, 2011 that was never received by CIA and only brought to our attention several days ago. We have nevertheless completed the report on our annual self-inspection.

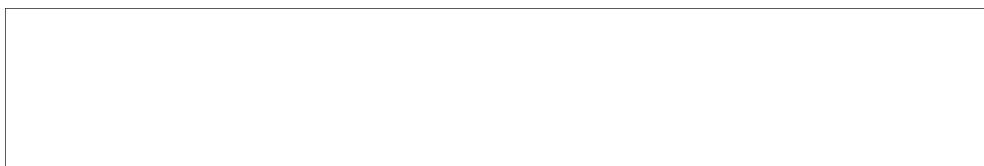
(U//FOUO) The CIA's report this year is classified, because we chose in 2011 to inspect an operational element of the CIA that requires protection. We have adopted an inspection process that will look very closely at a different CIA business area each year. We have chosen this approach as I believe it will give us a much better opportunity to focus our corrective actions on specific weaknesses. Otherwise, a very broad inspection could only be met with some very generalized policy refinement or training.

(U) Should you have any questions regarding this report, please call me at [redacted] or contact Harry Cooper at [redacted].

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Joseph W. Lambert
Director, Information Management Services

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