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H. RES. 138

[Report No. 94-12]

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 4, 1975

Mr. GLAIMO (for himself, Mr. NEDZI, Mr. MOSS, Mr. McFALL, Mr. BINGHAM, Mr. HARRINGTON, and Mr. DAVIS) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

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FEBRUARY 19, 1975

Considered, amended, and agreed to

RESOLUTION

- 1 *Resolved*, That (a) there is hereby established in the
- 2 House of Representatives a Select Committee on Intelligence
- 3 to conduct an inquiry into the organization, operations, and
- 4 oversight of the intelligence community of the United States
- 5 Government.
- 6 (b) The select committee shall be composed of ten
- 7 Members of the House of Representatives to be appointed
- 8 by the Speaker. The Speaker shall designate one of the
- 9 Members as chairman.
- 10 (c) For the purposes of this resolution the select com-
- 11 mittee is authorized to sit during sessions of the House and
- 12 during the present Congress whether or not the House has

1 recessed or adjourned. A majority of the members of the
2 select committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction
3 of business except that the select committee may designate a
4 lesser number as a quorum for the purpose of taking
5 testimony.

6 SEC. 2. The select committee is authorized and directed
7 to conduct an inquiry into—

8 (1) the collection, analysis, use, and cost of intelli-
9 gence information and allegations of illegal or improper
10 activities of intelligence agencies in the United States
11 and abroad;

12 (2) the procedures and effectiveness of coordination
13 among and between the various intelligence components
14 of the United States Government;

15 (3) the nature and extent of executive branch over-
16 sight and control of United States intelligence activities;

17 (4) the need for improved or reorganized oversight
18 by the Congress of United States intelligence activities;

19 (5) the necessity, nature, and extent of overt and
20 covert intelligence activities by United States intelligence
21 instrumentalities in the United States and abroad;

22 (6) the procedures for and means of the protection
23 of sensitive intelligence information;

24 (7) procedures for and means of the protection of

1 rights and privileges of citizens of the United States from
2 illegal or improper intelligence activities; and

3 (8) such other related matters as the select com-
4 mittee shall deem necessary to carry out the purposes of
5 this resolution.

6 SEC. 3. In carrying out the purposes of this resolution,
7 the select committee is authorized to inquire into the activities
8 of the following:

9 (1) the National Security Council;

10 (2) the United States Intelligence Board;

11 (3) the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory
12 Board;

13 (4) the Central Intelligence Agency;

14 (5) the Defense Intelligence Agency;

15 (6) the intelligence components of the Departments
16 of the Army, Navy, and Air Force;

17 (7) the National Security Agency;

18 (8) the Intelligence and Research Bureau of the
19 Department of State;

20 (9) the Federal Bureau of Investigation;

21 (10) the Department of the Treasury and the De-
22 partment of Justice;

23 (11) the Energy Research and Development Ad-
24 ministration; and

1 (12) any other instrumentalities of the United
2 States Government engaged in or otherwise responsible
3 for intelligence operations in the United States and
4 abroad.

5 SEC. 4. The select committee may require, by subpoena
6 or otherwise, the attendance and testimony of such witnesses
7 and the production of such books, records, correspondence,
8 memorandums, papers, and documents as it deems necessary.
9 Subpenas may be issued over the signature of the chairman
10 of the select committee or any member designated by him,
11 and may be served by any person designated by the chair-
12 man or such member. The chairman of the select committee,
13 or any member designated by him, may administer oaths
14 to any witness.

15 SEC. 5. To enable the select committee to carry out the
16 purposes of this resolution, it is authorized to employ investi-
17 gators, attorneys, consultants, or organizations thereof, and
18 clerical, stenographic, and other assistance.

19 SEC. 6. (a) The select committee shall institute and
20 carry out such rules and procedures as it may deem necessary
21 to prevent (1) the disclosure, outside the select committee,
22 of any information relating to the activities of the Central
23 Intelligence Agency or any other department or agency of
24 the Federal Government engaged in intelligence activities,
25 obtained by the select committee during the course of its

1 study and investigation, not authorized by the select com-
2 mittee to be disclosed; and (2) the disclosure, outside the
3 select committee, of any information which would adversely
4 affect the intelligence activities of the Central Intelligence
5 Agency in foreign countries or the intelligence activities in
6 foreign countries of any other department or agency of the
7 Federal Government.

8 (b) No employee of the select committee or any person
9 engaged by contract or otherwise to perform services for the
10 select committee shall be given access to any classified infor-
11 mation by the select committee unless such employee or per-
12 son has received an appropriate security clearance as deter-
13 mined by the select committee. The type of security clear-
14 ance to be required in the case of any such employee or per-
15 son shall, within the determination of the select committee,
16 be commensurate with the sensitivity of the classified infor-
17 mation to which such employee or person will be given
18 access by the select committee.

19 (c) As a condition for employment as described in
20 section 5 of this resolution, each person shall agree not to
21 accept any honorarium, royalty, or other payment for a
22 speaking engagement, magazine article, book, or other en-
23 deavor connected with the investigation and study undertaken
24 by this committee.

1 SEC. 7. The expenses of the select committee under this
2 resolution shall not exceed \$750,000 of which amount not to
3 exceed \$100,000 shall be available for the procurement of
4 the services of individual consultants or organizations thereof.
5 Such expenses shall be paid from the contingent fund of the
6 House upon vouchers signed by the chairman of the select
7 committee and approved by the Speaker.

8 SEC. 8. The select committee is authorized and directed
9 to report to the House with respect to the matters covered
10 by this resolution as soon as practicable but no later than
11 January 3, 1976.

12 SEC. 9. The authority granted herein shall expire three
13 months after the filing of the report with the House of
14 Representatives.

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