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Senate Panel OKs Turner for CIA Job

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The Senate intelligence committee yesterday unanimously recommended confirmation of Admiral Stansfield Turner as director of Central Intelligence.

Committee Chairman Daniel K. Inouye (Dem-Hawaii) said he would seek a final vote on the Senate floor today.

He said Turner, 53, a U. S. Naval Academy classmate of President Carter, has promised not to seek the posts of chief of naval operations or chairman of the joint chiefs of staff from his position as head of the Central Intelligence Agency and supervisor of the rest of the nation's intelligence commu-

nity.

"At least he will not seek (the posts)," Inouye said "but I suppose if the commander-in-chief should call upon him, he would have to respond accordingly."

Currently commander-in-chief of Allied forces in Southern Europe, Turner has insisted on keeping his military commission, since he intends to resume his Navy career after leaving the CIA. He was nominated earlier this month after President Carter's first choice, Theodore Sorensen, ran into opposition on the committee and subsequently withdrew his name from consideration.

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