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The Honorable Jim McDermott
House of Representatives
Washington D.C. 20515

The Honorable James P. McGovern
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Barbara Lee
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The Honorable John Conyers
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Betty McCollum
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Dennis Kucinich
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Keith Ellison
House of Representatives
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Dear Representatives McDermott, Lee, McCollum, Ellison, McGovern, Conyers and Kucinich:

Thank you for your July 16, 2012 letter to the Director of National Intelligence, James R. Clapper, concerning the Obama Administration's global health mission and national security policies.

Director Clapper thanks you for your letter and wants to assure you that all intelligence activities comply with U.S. law and the Constitution. All necessary care is taken to ensure that these activities do not interfere with the exercise of the Administration's global health mission.

Thank you for sharing your concerns.

Sincerely,



Kathleen Turner
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