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#### IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. BYRD (for himself, Mr. DOLE, Mr. INOUYE, and Mr. RUDMAN) submitted the following resolution; which was

## RESOLUTION

Establishing a select committee of the Senate to conduct an investigation and study of activities by the National Security Council and other agencies of the United States Government with respect to the direct or indirect sale, shipment, or other provision of arms to the terresist state Iran and the use of the proceeds from any such transaction to provide assistance to any faction or insurgency in Nicaragua or in any other foreign country, or to further any other purpose, and related matters.

- 1 Resolved,
- 2 ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE
- 3 Section 1. (a) There is established a select committee
- 4 of the Senate to be known as the Select Committee on
- 5 Secret Military Assistance to Iran and the Nicaraguan con opposition

1	the hereafter in this resolution referred to as the "select
2	committee'').
3	(b) The purpose of the select committee is—
4	(1) to conduct an investigation into, and study
5	of, all matters which have any tendency to reveal the
6	full facts about—
7	(A) any activity of—
8	(i) the National Security Council or of
9	any member or staff thereof,
10	(ii) any other department, agency, or
11	entity of the United States Government or
12	of any officer or employee thereof,
13	(iii) any foreign government, or of any
14	agency or instrumentality thereof, or of any
15	officer or employee thereof, or
16	(iv) any other individual, group, cor-
17	poration, entity, or organization,
18	which relates to—
19	(I) the direct or indirect sale,
20	shipment, or other provision of arms,
21	or the direct or indirect provision of
22	materiel, funds, or other assistance, to
23	Iran,
24	(II) the use of the proceeds from
25	any transaction described in subclause

1	(I) to provide assistance to any faction
2	or insurgency in Nicaragua or in any
3	other foreign country, or to further
4	any political purpose or activity within
5	the United States, or to further any
6	other purpose of any nature whatso-
7	ever,
8	(III) the generation and use of
9	any other money, item of value, or
10	service to provide assistance to the
11	Nicaraguan democratic resistance, or
12	(IV) the provision or coordination
13	of support for persons or entities en-
14	gaged as insurgents in armed conflict
15	with the Government of Nicaragua,
16	in order to determine whether any such activity
17	was illegal, improper, unauthorized, or unethi-
18	cal;
19	(B) any other activity, circumstance, mate-
20	rial, or transaction having a tendency to prove
21	or disprove that any official of the United States
22	Government, or any other person, acting either
23	individually or in combination with others, en-
24	gaged in any activity which was illegal, improp-
25	er, unauthorized, or unethical, in connection

1	with any activity described in subclause (I), (II),
2	(III), or (IV) of clause (A) or in connection with
3	the operations described in clause (C); and
4	(C) the suitability of the structure and op-
5	erations of the National Security Council, and
6	persons serving as staff, consultants, or agents
7	thereto, for any function related to the formula-
8	tion, implementation, or conduct of American
9	national security policy; and
10	(2)(A) to make such findings of fact as are war-
11	ranted and appropriate;
12	(B) to make such recommendations, including
13	recommendations for new legislation and amend-
14	ments to existing laws and any administrative or
15	other actions, as the select committee may determine
16	to be necessary or desirable; and
17	(C) to fulfill the Constitutional oversight and in-
18	forming function of the Congress with respect to the
19	matters described in this section.
20	(c) For purposes of this section, the term "Iran" in-
21	cludes the Government of Iran, any agency or instrumen-
22	tality thereof, any officer or employee thereof, or any
23	person purporting to represent the Government of Iran or
24	any agency or instrumentality thereof, any national of Iran,
25	or any person located in Iran.

- 1 MEMBERSHIP AND ORGANIZATION OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE
- 2 SEC. 2. (a)(1) The select committee shall consist of
- 3 eleven members of the Senate, six of whom shall be ap-
- 4 pointed by the President pro tempore of the Senate from
- 5 the majority party of the Senate upon the recommendation
- 6 of the Majority Leader of the Senate, and five of whom
- 7 shall be appointed by the President pro tempore of the
- 8 Senate from the minority party of the Senate upon the rec-
- 9 ommendation of the Minority Leader of the Senate.
- 10 (2) Vacancies in the membership of the select com-
- 11 mittee shall not affect the authority of the remaining mem-
- 12 bers to execute the functions of the select committee and
- 13 shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments
- 14 to it are made.
- 15 (3) For the purpose of paragraph 4 of rule XXV of the
- 16 Standing Rules of the Senate, service of a Senator as a
- 17 member, chairman, or vice chairman of the select commit-
- 18 tee shall not be taken into account.
- 19 (b)(1) The chairman of the select committee shall be
- 20 selected by the Majority Leader of the Senate and the vice
- 21 chairman of the select committee shall be selected by the
- 22 Minority Leader of the Senate. The vice chairman shall
- 23 discharge such responsibilities as the select committee or
- 24 the chairman may assign.

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1	(2) A majority of the voting members of the select commendation to
2	committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of the Sanate
3	business, except that the select committee may fix a lesser
4	number as a quorum for the purpose of taking testimony
5	before the select committee or for conducting the business
6	of the select committee.
7	(c)(1) The select committee shall promptly adopt
8	rules and procedures not inconsistent with the rules and
9	procedures of the Senate.
10	(2) The rules and procedures of the select committee
11	shall—
12	(A) govern the proceedings of the select com-
13	mittee; and
14	(B) consistent with section 6 of this resolu-
15	tion—
16	(i) provide for the security of the records
17	of the select committee and the protection of
18	classified information and materials; and
19	(ii) prevent the unauthorized disclosure of
20	information and materials obtained by the select
21	committee in the course of its investigation and
22	study.
23	STAFF OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE  SEC. 3 (a)(1) To assist the select committee in its
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25 investigation and study, the chairman, after consultation

26 with the vice chairman and the approval of the select com-

1	mittee, shall appoint the committee staff including a staff
2	director and a chief counsel.
3	(2) All staff shall work for the select committee as a
4	whole, and except as otherwise provided by the select
5	committee, under the immediate direction of the staff di-
6	rector.
7	(b) To assist the select committee in its investigation
8	and study, the Senate Legal Counsel and Deputy Senate
9	Legal Counsel shall work with and under the jurisdiction
10	and authority of the select committee.
11	(d) The Comptroller General of the United States is
12	requested to provide from the General Accounting Office
13	whatever personnel, investigatory, material, or other appro-
14	priate assistance may be required by the select committee.
15	PUBLIC ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMITTEE
16	SEC. 4. (a) Consistent with—
17	(1) the rights of persons subject to investigation
18	and inquiry,
19	(2) considerations of national security, including
20	the protection of sources and methods of intelligence
21	gathering and analysis, and
22	(3) the interests of the relationship of the United
23	States with other nations,
24	the select committee shall make every effort to fulfill the

right of the public and the Congress to know the essential

26 facts and implications of the activities of officials of the

(c) The Majority and Minority
leaders of the Senate
may each designate one
staff person to some on the
staff of the select committee
to serve as their lieson
to the select committee

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1	United	States	Government	and	other	persons	and	entities

- 2 with respect to the matters under investigation and study as
- 3 described in section 1.
- 4 (b) In furtherance of the public's and Congress' right
- 5 to know, the select committee-
- 6 (1) shall hold, as it considers appropriate, open
- 7 hearings;
- 8 (2) may make interim reports to the Senate as it
- 9 considers appropriate; and
- 10 (3) shall make a final comprehensive public
- 11 report to the Senate which contains a description of
- 12 all relevant factual determinations consistent with
- subsection (a) of this section and section 1(b)(2) and
- 14 which contains recommendations for new legislation
- and other actions pursuant to the goal of an open,
- lawful, and effective conduct of American national
- 17 security policy and, when necessary, lawful intelli-
- 18 gence activities in support of American national se-
- 19 curity policy.
- 20 (c) The decision as to what matters shall be heard in
- 21 closed or open session shall be determined by the select
- 22 committee in accordance with paragraph 5(b) of rule
- 23 XXVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate.
- 24 POWERS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE
- 25 SEC 5. (a) The select committee shall do everything
- 26 necessary and appropriate under the laws and Constitution

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1	of the	United	States	to	make	the	investigation	and	study
2	specifi	ed in se	ction 1						

- 3 (b) The select committee is authorized to issue sub-
- 4 poenas for obtaining testimony and for the production of
- 5 documentary or physical evidence. A subpoena may be au-
- 6 thorized and issued by the select committee, acting through
- 7 the chairman or any other member designated by the chair-
- 8 man, and may be served by any person designated by such
- 9 chairman or other member anywhere within or without the
- 10 borders of the United States to the full extent permitted by
- 11 law. The chairman of the select committee, or any other
- 12 member thereof, is authorized to administer oaths to any
- 13 witnesses appearing before the committee.
- 14 (c) The select committee may exercise the powers
- 15 conferred upon committees of the Senate by sections 6002
- 16 and 6005 of title 18, United States Code.
- 17 (d) The select committee is authorized to do the fol-
- 18 lowing:
- 19 (1) To employ and fix the compensation of such
- 20 clerical, investigatory, legal, technical, and other as-
- 21 sistants as the select committee considers necessary
- 22 or appropriate.
- 23 (2) To sit and act at any time or place during
- 24 sessions, recesses, and adjournment periods of the
- 25 Senate.

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(3) To hold hearings for taking testimony under
oath or to receive documentary or physical evidence
relating to the matters and questions it is authorized
to investigate or study.
(4) To require by subpoena or order the attend-
ance, as witnesses before the select committee or at

- (4) To require by subpoena or order the attendance, as witnesses before the select committee or at depositions, of any person who may have knowledge or information concerning any of the matters the select committee is authorized to investigate and study.
- (5) To take depositions and other testimony under oath anywhere within the United States or in any other country, to issue orders by the chairman or any other member designated by the chairman which require witnesses to answer written interrogatories under oath, to make application for issuance of letters rogatory, and to request, through appropriate channels, other means of international assistance, as appropriate.
- (6) To issue commissions and to notice depositions for staff members to examine witnesses and to receive evidence under oath administered by an individual authorized by local law to administer oaths. The select committee, acting through the chairman, may authorize and issue, and may delegate to designate.

1	nated staff members the power to authorize and
2	issue, commissions and deposition notices.
3	(7) To require by subpoena or order—
4	(A) any department, agency, entity, officer,
5	or employee of the United States Government,
6	(B) any person or entity purporting to act
7	under color or authority of State or local law, or
8	(C) any private person, firm, corporation,
9	partnership, or other organization,
10	to produce for its consideration or for use as evi-
11	dence in the investigation or study of the select com-
12	mittee any book, check, canceled check, correspond-
13	ence, communication, document, financial record,
14	paper, physical evidence, photograph, record, record-
15	ing, tape, or any other material relating to any of the
16	matters or questions such committee is authorized to
17	investigate and study which they or any of them may
18	have in their custody or under their control.
19	(8) To make to the Senate any recommenda-
20	tions, including recommendations for criminal or
21	civil enforcement, which the select committee may
22	consider appropriate with respect to-
23	(A) the willful failure or refusal of any
24	person to appear before it, or at a deposition, or

1	to answer interrogatories, in obedience to a sub-
2	poena or order;
3	(B) the willful failure or refusal of any
4	person to answer questions or give testimony
5	during his appearance as a witness before such
6	committee, or at a deposition, or in response to
7	interrogatories; or
8	(C) the willful failure or refusal of-
9	(i) any officer or employee of the
10	United States Government,
11	(ii) any person or entity purporting to
12	act under color or authority of State or
13	local law, or
14	(iii) any private person, partnership,
15	firm, corporation, or organization,
16	to produce before the committee, or at a deposi-
17	tion, or at any time or place designated by the
18	committee, any book, check, canceled check,
19	correspondence, communication, document, fi-
20	nancial record, paper, physical evidence, photo-
21	graph, record, recording, tape, or any other ma-
22	terial in obedience to any subpoena or order.
23	(9) To procure the temporary or intermittent
24	services of individual consultants, or organizations
2.5	thereof, in the same manner and under the same con-

- ditions as a standing committee of the Senate may procure such services under section 202(i) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 4 72a(i)).
  - (10) To use on a reimbursable basis, with the prior consent of the Government department or agency concerned and the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate, the services of personnel of such department or agency.
  - (11) To use, with the prior consent of the chairman of any other Senate committee or the chairman of any subcommittee of any committee of the Senate, the facilities or services of any members of the staff of such other Senate committee whenever the select committee or its chairman considers that such action is necessary or appropriate to enable the select committee to make the investigation and study provided for in this resolution.
  - (12) To have access through the agency of any members of the select committee, staff director, chief counsel, or any of its investigatory assistants designated by the chairman, to any data, evidence, information, report, analysis, document, or paper—

1	(A) which relates to any of the matters or
2	questions which the select committee is author-
3	ized to investigate or study;
4	(B) which is in the custody or under the
5	control of any department, agency, entity, offi-
6	cer, or employee of the United States Govern-
7	ment, including those which have-
8	(i) the power under the laws of the
9	United States to investigate any alleged
10	criminal activities or to prosecute persons
11	charged with crimes against the United
12	States; or
13	(ii) the authority to, or which in fact
14	has, conducted intelligence gathering or in-
15	telligence activities,
16	without regard to the jurisdiction or authority of
17	any other Senate committee; and
18	(C) which will aid the select committee to
19	prepare for or conduct the investigation and
20	study authorized and directed by this resolution.
21	(13) To report violations of any law to the ap-
22	propriate Federal, State, or local authorities.
23	(14) To expend, to the extent the select commit-
24	tee determines necessary and appropriate, any
25	moneys made available to such committee by the

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1 Senate to make the investigation, study, and reports

- 2 authorized by this resolution.
- 3 (e) The level of compensation payable to any employ-
- ee of the select committee shall not be subject to any limi-
- tation on compensation otherwise applicable to an employ-5
- ee of the Senate.
- PROTECTION OF CONFIDENTIAL AND CLASSIFIED INFORMATION
- 8 SEC. 6. (a)(1) Before being given access to any classi-
- fied information, any member of the staff of, or consultant
- 10 to, the select committee shall have the appropriate security
- 11 clearance and a need to know such information. The chair-
- 12 man of the select committee shall decide which select
- 13 committee staff members and consultants are required to
- have security clearances. 14
- 15 (2) All staff members and consultants shall, as a con-
- dition of employment, agree in writing to abide by the con-
- ditions of an appropriate nondisclosure agreement promul-17
- gated by the select committee. 18
- (3) The case of any Senator who violates the security 19
- procedures of the select committee may be referred to the 20
- Select Committee on Ethics of the Senate for the imposi-21
- tion of sanctions in accordance with the rules of the 22
- Senate. Any staff member or consultant who violates the 23
- security procedures of the select committee shall immedi-24
- ately be subject to removal from office or employment 25
- 26 with the select committee or shall be subject to such other

- 1 sanction as may be provided in the rules of the select com-
- 2 mittee.
- 3 (b)(1) Any classified information obtained by the
- 4 select committee either directly from the Executive branch
- 5 of the United States Government, through the Select Com-
- 6 mittee on Intelligence of the Senate, or by other means,
- 7 shall be disclosed only in the same manner in which such
- 8 information may be disclosed under the provisions of sec-
- 9 tion 8 of Senate Resolution 400 (Ninety-fourth Congress,
- 10 second session), except that references to the Select Com-
- 11 mittee on Intelligence in such section shall be deemed to
- 12 be references to the select committee established under this
- 13 resolution.
- 14 (2) The select committee shall make suitable arrange-
- 15 ments, in consultation with the Select Committee on Intel-
- 16 ligence of the Senate, for the physical protection and stor-
- 17 age of classified information provided to the select com-
- 18 mittee.
- 19 (3) Upon the termination of the select committee pur-
- 20 suant to section 9 of this resolution, all records, files, docu-
- 21 ments, and other materials in the possession, custody, or
- 22 control of the select committee, under appropriate condi-
- 23 tions established by such committee, shall be transferred to
- 24 the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate.
- 25 RELATION TO OTHER INVESTIGATIONS
- 26 Sec. 7. (a) In order to—

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1	(1) expedite the thorough conduct of the investi-	
2	gation and study authorized by this resolution,	
3	(2) promote efficiency among all the various in-	
4	vestigations underway in all branches of the United	
5	States Government, and	
6	(3) engender a high degree of confidence on the	
7	part of the public regarding the conduct of such in-	
8	vestigation,	
9	the select committee is encouraged—	
10	(A) to seek the full cooperation of all rele-	
11	vant investigatory bodies, and	(10) The Glast Committee
12	(B) to seek access to all information which	In Intelligence is hereby
13	is acquired and developed by such bodies.	To the select Committee  In Intelligence is hereby  I directed to prepare and pravide,  to the select committee, in
14	The select committee, through its members and	closed session a report of its
15	appropriate staff, shall be provided full access to all	closed session a report of its investigation into any matter and described in section 1 of
16	records, files, documents and other materials in the posses-	tuis resolution, which report
17	sion, custody, or control of the Select Committee on Intel-	shall include a summers of
18	ligence of the Senate, obtained or produced by the Select	the testimony and chronology of events deleloped by the
19	Committee on Intelligence of the Senate with respect to	of events deleloped by the
20	any matter described in section 1 of this resolution.	Select Committee on Intelligence together with a listing of intresolved questions and issues which it recommand
21	(2) All subpoenas issued by the Select Committee on	infresolved questions and
22	Intelligence of the Senate on any matter described in sec-	issues which it recommend
23	tion 1 of this resolution shall continue in force and may be	Le warsued by the
24	enforced by the select committee as if issued by the select	precticable, and the state
25	committee. I sertion & a Consta Needle How Use (ay h Con use) divelese	
	by the select committee that the public interest to the public	while is co so that the
	would be served by such disclosure.	De Contractor of Story

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1 (c	) The	Senate	requests	that	any	independent	counsel
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- appointed pursuant to chapter 39 of title 28, United States
- Code, to investigate any matter related to a matter de-3
- scribed in section 1 of this resolution, make available to
- the select committee, as expeditiously as possible, all doc-5
- uments and information which may assist the select com-
- mittee in its investigation and study. 7

#### 8 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

- 9 SEC. 8. Such sums as are necessary shall be available
- 10 from the contingent fund of the Senate out of the Account
- for Expenses for Inquiries and Investigations for payment 11
- of salaries and other expenses of the select committee 12
- under this resolution, which shall include sums which shall
- be available for the procurement of the services of individ-
- ual consultants or organizations thereof, in accordance 15
- with section 5(d)(9). Payment of expenses shall be dis-16
- 17 bursed upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the
- select committee, except that vouchers shall not be re-18
- 19 quired for the disbursement of salaries paid at an annual
- 20 rate.

#### 21 REPORTS; TERMINATION

- SEC. 9. (a)(1) The select committee shall make a final 22
- 23 public report to the Senate of the results of the investiga-
- 24 tion and study conducted by such committee pursuant to
- this resolution, together with its findings and any recom-
- 26 mendations at the earliest practicable date, but not later

August 1, 1987, 19

1 than October 30, 1987. The select committee shall also

- 2 submit to the Senate such interim reports as its considers
- 3 appropriate.
- 4 (2) The final report of the select committee may be
- 5 accompanied by whatever classified or confidential an-
- 6 nexes are necessary to protect classified or confidential in-
- 7 formation, particularly intelligence sources and methods.
- 8 (b) After submission of its final report, the select
- 9 committee shall conclude its business and close out its af-
- 10 fairs as expeditiously as practicable.

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Finding Pursuant to Section 662 of
The Foreign Assistance Act of 1961
As Amended, Concerning Operations
Undertaken by the Central Intelligence
Agency in Foreign Countries, Other Than
Those Intended Solely for the Purpose
of Intelligence Collection

I hereby find that the following operation in a foreign country (including all support necessary to such operation) is important to the national security of the United States, and due to its extreme sensitivity and security risks, I determine it is essential to limit prior notice, and direct the Director of Central Intelligence to refrain from reporting this Finding to the Congress as provided in Section 501 of the National Security Act of 1947, as amended, until I otherwise direct.

#### SCOPE

#### DESCRIPTION

Iran

Assist selected friendly foreign liaison services, third countries and third parties which have established relationships with Iranian elements, groups, and individuals sympathetic to U.S. Government interests and which do not conduct or support terrorist actions directed against U.S. persons, property or interests, for the purpose of: (1) establishing a more moderate government in Iran, (2) obtaining from them significant intelligence not otherwise obtainable, to determine the current Iranian Government's intentions with respect to its neighbors and with respect to terrorist acts, and (3) furthering the release of the American hostages held in Beirut and preventing additional terrorist acts by these groups. Provide funds, intelligence, counter-intelligence, training, guidance and communications and other necessary assistance to these elements, groups, individuals, liaison services and third countries in support of these activities.

The USG will act to facilitate efforts by third parties and third countries to establish contact with moderate elements within and outside the Government of Iran by providing these elements with arms, equipment and related materiel in order to enhance the credibility of these elements in their effort to achieve a more pro-U.S. government in Iran by demonstrating their ability to obtain requisite resources to defend their country against Iraq and intervention by the Soviet Union. This support will be discontinued if the U.S. Government learns that these elements have abandoned their goals of moderating their government and appropriated the materiel for purposes other than that provided by this Finding.

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The White House Washington, D.C. Date January 17, 1986

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