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> Inspector General 703-874-2555

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The Honorable Brent Scowcroft Chairman, Intelligence Oversight Board Old Executive Office Building Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear General Scowcroft:

This report is submitted pursuant to Section 2.4 of Executive Order 12863 and covers the period of 1 January to 31 March 2003. Information in this report meets the reporting standard of Executive Order 12863 or may be of general interest to the Board. I would like to advise you of the following matter which has come to my attention during the reporting period.

Complaint by CIA Employee as "Urgent Concern" Under Whistleblower Statute. An Agency employee filed a complaint with me on 24 March as an "Urgent Concern" under the whistleblower protection provisions of the CIA Act of 1949, as amended. The employee alleges retaliation against him by Agency managers for his twice previously reporting matters to the Inspector General as urgent concerns under that statute. I have determined that the complaint appears credible, and as required by the statute, have transmitted my determination along with the complaint to the Director of Central Intelligence. The Director, in turn, has forwarded this information to the Congressional intelligence oversight committees, also as required by the statute. My office is now investigating the employee's complaint.

Please let me know if the Board has questions with regard to anything covered by this report or if I may be of assistance in any way.

Sincerely,			
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John L. Helgerson			

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The Honorable Brent Scowcroft

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