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Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		May 18, 2006
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		May 18, 2006
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Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 19, 2006
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Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		May 19, 2006
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 19, 2006
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		May 23, 2006
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		May 23, 2006
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		May 23, 2006
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Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		May 23, 2006

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Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		May 24, 2006
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Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jun 28, 2006
Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2006
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jun 29, 2006
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Jul 17, 2006
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jul 19, 2006
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jul 20, 2006
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jul 26, 2006
Rep. Spratt, John M., Jr. [D-SC-5]	D · SC		Jul 27, 2006
Rep. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Jul 28, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Intelligence (Permanent Select) Committee	House	Referred To	May 11, 2006
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	May 11, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Lawful Intelligence and Surveillance of Terrorists in an Emergency by NSA Act or LISTEN Act - States that specified provisions of federal criminal law concerning wire and electronic communications and their interception and the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 (FISA) shall be the exclusive means by which domestic electronic surveillance may be conducted. Directs the President to ensure that: (1) all electronic surveillance of persons in the United States is conducted within those exclusive means; and (2) the procedures for applying for an order for electronic surveillance under FISA continue to be adequate for the timely and efficient electronic surveillance of appropriate targets.

Requires: (1) the President to report to the congressional intelligence and judiciary committees upon a determination that such procedures are inadequate; and (2) the report to contain findings and recommendations with respect to emergency or routine applications for such orders.

Authorizes appropriations to the National Security Agency (NSA) and the Department of Justice (DOJ) for activities of the Office of Intelligence Policy and Review to ensure the timely and efficient processing of applications to the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court.

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