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**LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL
(AID TO CIVILIAN AUTHORITIES) BILL 2000**

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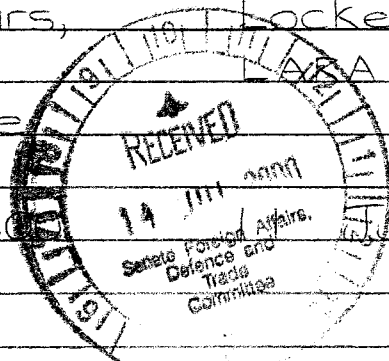
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RE: INQUIRY INTO THE DEFENCE LEGISLATION
AMENDMENT (AID TO CIVILIAN
AUTHORITIES) BILL 2000

Dear Secretary,

In relation to the above mentioned inquiry, I submit that the Committee should consider the following proposal:

That a legal framework be created to allow for, and regulate, the call out of regular and/or reserve Army units - specifically military police, intelligence and infantry units - for specific or general duties in law enforcement emergencies.

I further submit that the use of the British Army in Northern Ireland, and the National Guard in the USA, should be examined vis-à-vis the legal frameworks of their use.

Yours sincerely,

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