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Directing the Secretary of State to transmit to the House of Representatives documents in the possession of the Secretary of State relating to the treatment of prisoners and detainees in Iraq, Afghanistan, and Guantanamo Bay.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 25, 2004

Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. OBEY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. HINCHEY) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved*, That the Secretary of State is directed to
2 transmit to the House of Representatives not later than
3 14 days after the date of the adoption of this resolution
4 all documents in the possession of the Secretary of State,
5 except those documents that have been found by a court
6 to be protected by Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure

1 6(e), relating to the treatment of prisoners or detainees
2 in Iraq, Afghanistan, or Guantanamo Bay and any req-
3 uisite instructions for handling such documents, includ-
4 ing—

5 (1) every report, memorandum, or complaint
6 from the International Committee of the Red Cross
7 relating to the treatment of detainees or prisoners
8 and any documents that reference such memo-
9 randum, report, or complaint by the Secretary of
10 State or by any agency under the Secretary of State;

11 (2) every report, memorandum, or complaint
12 from Human Rights Watch, Amnesty International,
13 Iraqi Human Rights Association, Afghan Human
14 Rights Commission, Physicians for Human Rights,
15 or Human Rights First relating to the treatment of
16 detainees or prisoners and any documents that ref-
17 erence such memorandum, report, or complaint by
18 the Secretary of State or by any agency under the
19 Secretary of State;

20 (3) every document relating to interrogation
21 techniques;

22 (4) every internal report of a law enforcement,
23 military, or intelligence agency or organization con-
24 cerning interrogation or detention operations;

1 (5) every internal report of a law enforcement,
2 military, or intelligence agency in response to allega-
3 tions that the treatment of prisoners or detainees
4 violated or continues to violate international or
5 American law;

6 (6) every document and memorandum regard-
7 ing the applicability of the Geneva Conventions, the
8 Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhu-
9 man or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, the
10 International Covenant on Political and Civil Rights,
11 sections 2340–2340A of title 18, United States
12 Code, the War Crimes Act of 1996, and the Fifth,
13 Eighth, and Fourteenth Amendments to the Con-
14 stitution of the United States to the treatment of
15 prisoners or detainees;

16 (7) every document and memorandum relating
17 to command relationships between military police
18 units and military intelligence units;

19 (8) every document and memorandum directing
20 personnel to abstain from using specific interroga-
21 tion techniques or to withdraw themselves from in-
22 terrogations being conducted by other departments;

23 (9) any Presidential directive or other writing
24 authorizing the use of interrogation tactics or claim-
25 ing the constitutional authority to do so;

1 (10) any documentation of training received by
2 the 800th Military Police Brigade and the 205th
3 Military Intelligence Brigade regarding the treat-
4 ment of prisoners or detainees;

5 (11) any documentation of special access pro-
6 grams as they were applied to prisoners or detain-
7 ees;

8 (12) all records of meetings regarding the treat-
9 ment of prisoners or detainees at which one or more
10 officials of the Department of State were present
11 and the presence of those officials is apparent from
12 the face of the record;

13 (13) every document and memorandum con-
14 cerning the practice of keeping prisoners or detain-
15 ees off the official roster;

16 (14) a list of every ongoing and completed in-
17 vestigation into the treatment of prisoners or detain-
18 ees, and any written reports produced by any such
19 investigation;

20 (15) every document relating to civilian con-
21 tract employees and their role in prisons;

22 (16) all written statements of prisoners or de-
23 tainees, military personnel, civilian employees of the
24 Federal Government, or civilian contractors regard-
25 ing the treatment of prisoners or detainees;

1 (17) all reports of interrogation of each pris-
2 oner or detainee that reflect a claim of abuse by
3 military or civilian personnel or by civilian contrac-
4 tors;

5 (18) any documents for work under contracts
6 (including subcontracts and task orders) and all re-
7 ports on such documents, for interrogation or trans-
8 lation work by CACI International, Titan Corpora-
9 tion, and any other entity that may have performed
10 such work;

11 (19) any documents or testimony presented to
12 or prepared by the Detainee Assessment Branch at
13 Abu Ghraib prison at any time after September 1,
14 2003 regarding the treatment of Iraqi prisoners or
15 detainees by members of the Armed Forces or by ci-
16 vilian contractors working in Iraq employed on be-
17 half of the Department of Defense;

18 (20) any complaint forms filled out and sub-
19 mitted at any time after March 1, 2003 by a mem-
20 ber of the Armed Services or by a civilian contractor
21 employed on behalf of the Department of Defense or
22 Central Intelligence Agency regarding the treatment
23 of detainees or prisoners; and

- 1 (21) any reports or documents reflecting the
- 2 death or injury of prisoners or detainees.

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