

Public Reporting Requirements Under the Foreign Surveillance Intelligence Act (50 USC 1801 et seq.)

**Sanders (HR 1157)
Freedom to Read Protection Act**

Amends Section 502 of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 (50 U.S.C. 1862) to require that, on a semiannual basis, the Attorney General shall fully inform the appropriate congressional committees* concerning all requests for the *production of tangible things* under section 501, including with respect to the preceding 6-month period--

- * the total number of applications made for orders; and
- * the total number of such orders either granted, modified, or denied;
- * a description with respect to each application for an order requiring the production of any tangible things for the specific purpose for such production.
- * an analysis of the effectiveness of each application that was granted or modified in protecting citizens of the United States against terrorism.

**Grassley, Specter, Leahy (S 436)
Domestic Surveillance Oversight Act of 2003**

Amends Section 502 of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 (50 U.S.C. 1862) to require that, in addition to the reports required by sections 107, 108, 306, 406, and 502, in April of each year, the Attorney General shall issue a public report setting forth with respect to the preceding calendar year

- * the aggregate number of United States persons targeted for orders issued under FISA, including those targeted for--
 - * electronic surveillance under section 105;
 - * physical searches under section 304;
 - * pen registers under section 402; and
 - * access to records under section 501;

**Hoeffel & Others (HR 2429)
Surveillance Oversight and Disclosure Act of 2003**

Same as S. 436.

**Murkowski-Wyden (S 1552)
Protecting the Rights of Individuals Act**

Same as S 436.

- * the total number of applications made for orders approving requests for the production of tangible things under section 501 to be served on the public media; and

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Additionally, in a manner consistent with the protection of the national security of the United States, the Attorney General shall make public the information provided above.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate; and the Committees on the Judiciary of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

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- * the aggregate number of applications for sections 105, 304, 402, or 501 for orders issued
- * with respect to United States persons; and
- * with respect to all persons without regard to nationality

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- * the total number of such orders either granted, modified, or denied.
- * the number of United States persons targeted for orders under FISA, including those targeted for electronic surveillance under section 105; and
- * the total number of United States persons to whom such orders that are granted or modified pertain.

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- * the number of times that the Attorney General has authorized that information obtained under such sections or any information derived therefrom may be used in a criminal proceeding;
- * the number of times that a statement was completed pursuant to section 106(b), 305(c), or 405(b) to accompany a disclosure of information acquired under this Act for law enforcement purposes; and

In a manner consistent with the protection of the national security of the United States--

- * the portions of the documents and applications filed with the courts established under section 103 that include significant construction or interpretation of the provisions of this Act or any provision of the United

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Amends Section 502(b) of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 (50 U.S.C. 1862(b)) to require reporting on

- * the total number of United States persons to whom such orders that are granted or modified pertain, or in cases where the order does not name a specific person whose records are being sought, an estimate of the total number of persons to whom records being sought pertain.

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States Constitution, not including the facts of any particular matter, which may be redacted;

- * the portions of the opinions and orders of the courts established under section 103 that include significant construction or interpretation of the provisions of this Act or any provision of the United States Constitution, not including the facts of any particular matter, which may be redacted; and
- * in the first report submitted under this section, the materials above for all documents and applications filed with the courts established under section 103, and all otherwise unpublished opinions and orders of that court, for the 4 years before the preceding calendar year in addition to that year.