



January 8, 2006

Mr. J. William Leonard
Director
Information Security Oversight Office
700 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20408

Dear Mr. Leonard,

Subject: Declassification Plan Required Under Executive Order
(E.O.) 12958 as amended "Classified National Security
Information"

The Department of Labor (DOL) has not had original classification authority in over twenty-five years. Due to this fact DOL does not have personnel trained as classifiers to review documents for declassification. Therefore, a request for assistance with the declassification review process was made to the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). NARA has agreed to assist us with the automatic declassification provision review process required by the E.O. Currently, there is no twenty-five year old or older national security information being held at the DOL.

If you require any further information, please contact Mr. Robert Rouse, Deputy Director of the Security Center, at (202) 693-7993.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kenneth M. McCreless".

Kenneth M. McCreless
Deputy Assistant Secretary for
Security and Emergency Management