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Mr. Lewis –

Please find attached a duly authorized subpoena issued by the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, in consultation with the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Oversight and Reform, to Secretary of Defense Esper and the Department of Defense. The subpoena includes a return date of October 15, 2019 and is accompanied by a cover letter signed by Chairman Adam Schiff of the Intelligence Committee, Chairman Eliot Engel of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and Chairman Elijah Cummings on the Committee on Oversight and Reform. Please also find attached the Intelligence Committee's Rules of Procedure for the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress.

Please confirm receipt and acceptance of service on behalf of the Secretary Esper and the Department of Defense.

Sincerely,

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