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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WASHINGTON, D. C. 20301

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Honorable Melvin Price Chairman, Committee on Armed Services House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Attached is the Navy Study you requested on January 19, "Structure and Size of the Naval Reserve for Fiscal Year 1977." As you may know, this study was done by the Navy in an attempt to provide a rational development of the Navy Reserve strength. It is under review by my staff and therefore should at the present time be treated as a draft document.

Sincerely,

Attachment As stated



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