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Senator Sheldon Whitehouse
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Re: Response to Sen. Whitehouse's written questions for "Restoring the Rule
of Law" hearing.

Dear Senator Whitehouse,

I appreciate the opportunity to respond to your written questions relating to the possible closure of the Guantanamo Bay detention facility and to problems created by exclusive Executive Branch authority over classification and declassification of sensitive national security information. I regret, however, that I have not given these important issues studied consideration and do not feel qualified to offer an opinion on them.

Sincerely,

Charles J. Cooper

