

EXHIBIT 3

Establishment of Sensitive SIGINT Operation  
Project MINARET (C)

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Project MINARET is  
approved as a Sensitive SIGINT Operation.

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QUARTER FOR SENSITIVE SIGINT OPERATION MINARBT (C)

1. MINARBT (C) is established for the purpose of providing more restrictive control and security of sensitive information derived from communications as processed which contain (a) information on foreign governments, organizations or individuals who are attempting to influence, coordinate or control U.S. organizations or individuals who may foment civil disturbances or otherwise undermine the national security of the U.S. (b) information on U.S. organizations or individuals who are engaged in activities which may result in civil disturbances or otherwise subvert the national security of the U.S. An equally important aspect of MINARBT will be to restrict the knowledge that such information is being collected and processed by the National Security Agency.

2. MINARBT specifically includes communications concerning individuals or organizations involved in civil disturbances, anti-war movements/demonstrations and military deserters involved in anti-war movements.

3. MINARBT information will not be serialized, but will be identified for reference purposes by an assigned date/time. Information will be classified TOP SECRET, stamped "Background Use Only" and addressed to named recipients. Further, although MINARBT will be handled as SIGINT and distributed to SIGINT recipients, it will not be identified with the National Security Agency.