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SURVEILLANCE AND PHYSICAL SEARCH UNDER
THE FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE SURVEILLANCE ACT

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Executive Summary

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- The United States filed 53 pen register/trap and trace (PR/TT) applications; a total of 27 U.S. persons were targeted in these applications. For the previous period, the United States had filed 39 applications, targeting a total of 32 United States persons. (S)

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SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION (U)

This report is submitted pursuant to sections 108(a), 306, and 406, of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 (FISA or the Act), as amended, 50 U.S.C. §§ 1801-1812, 1821-1829, 1841-1846, 1861-1862, 1871, 1881-1881g, 1885-1885c. It includes information concerning electronic surveillance, physical searches, pen register/trap and trace (PR/TT) surveillance, and requests for access to certain business records for foreign intelligence purposes conducted under the Act by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), and/or the National Security Agency (NSA) during the period **July 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009**.¹ Consistent with the Department of Justice's (DOJ's) efforts to keep Congress fully informed of FISA activities in a manner consistent with the national security, this report contains information beyond that required by the statutory provisions set forth above. ~~(S)~~

[Redacted] Not pertinent/ Outside the scope of the request. [Redacted]

Highlights of the July 1 – December 31, 2009 Reporting Period (U)

Type of Application	Number Filed	Number Approved	Number Modified	U.S. Persons Targeted
Not pertinent/ Pen Register/Trap and Trace	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
Pen Register/Trap and Trace	53	53	0	27
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II. FBI and NSA Pen Register/Trap and Trace Surveillance (U)

During this reporting period, the United States filed **53** applications with the FISC seeking authorization for the FBI and/or the NSA to conduct PR/TT surveillance pursuant to 50 U.S.C. §§ 1841-1846, as amended. In these **53** applications, **27** U.S. persons were the targets of PR/TT surveillance. The FISC did not modify or deny any PR/TT applications during this reporting period. ~~(S)~~

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