September 20, 2013

Reference: ISCAP Appeal No. 2012-109
Reference: Johnson Library NLJ / RAC 10-354, document 1c

Mr. Grant Smith
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Institute for Research: Middle Eastern Policy, Inc.
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Dear Mr. Smith:

Subject: Interagency Security Classification Appeals Panel decision on the mandatory
declassification review appeal filed by Mr. Grant Smith of the Institute for
Research: Middle Eastern Policy, Inc.

The Interagency Security Classification Appeals Panel (ISCAP), established under section 5.3 of
Executive Order 13526, titled "Classified National Security Information," has reached its
decision on the document within your mandatory declassification review appeal. The document
is among the holdings of the Lyndon Baines Johnson Library and Museum. The document came
before the ISCAP classified in its entirety. The ISCAP voted unanimously to affirm the
classification of the document in its entirety. Enclosed is a chart that describes the document and
outlines the ISCAP decision. If you have any questions, please contact Neena Sachdeva,
William C. Carpenter, or me. Our telephone number at the Information Security Oversight
Office is (202) 357-5250.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Executive Secretary

Enclosure
cc: Mr. Charles Piercy
National Archive and Records Administration
Executive for Business Support Services

Mr. Mark Updegrove, [Letter with Chart]
Director
Lyndon Baines Johnson Presidential Library and Museum
**ISCAP DECISION ON THE MANDATORY DECLASSIFICATION REVIEW APPEAL FILED BY MR. GRANT SMITH OF THE INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH: MIDDLE EASTERN POLICY, INC.**

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