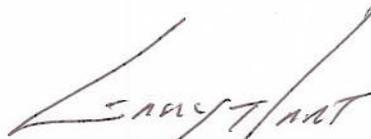


**FISCAL YEAR 2011 REPORT OF CLOSED MEETING OF
THE THREAT REDUCTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
UNDER SECTION 10(d) OF THE FEDERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ACT**

The Threat Reduction Advisory Committee met in closed plenary session on September 7, 2011 at the TASC Conference Facility, Terminal Road, Lorton, Virginia.

The meeting was conducted in closed session because it concerned matters listed in 5 U.S.C. 552B(c)(1)(1988). Full development of the topics required discussion of information classified at the Secret levels. Classified and unclassified issues were so intertwined that they could not reasonably be separated without defeating the effectiveness and meaning of the overall meeting. As the TRAC Chairman, I presided over the September plenary meeting. The Committee considers threat reduction strategies and implementation, global threat reduction prototypes, biological defense, nuclear security and weapons of mass destruction threats. These national security issues relate to the scientific and technical aspects of overall threat reduction.

The committee received findings from the five working groups on their recommendations for presentation to the sponsor. There were substantive deliberations of the working group's findings by the entire committee. Recommendations were consolidated for presentation to Dr. Ashton Carter, Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, the committee sponsor and Mr. Andrew Weber, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear, Chemical and Biological Defense Matters. The committee also decided on a set of topics for further study to assist the Department of Defense in reducing and elimination weapons of mass destruction.



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