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EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

William A. Cira
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July 22, 2011

Re: ISCAP Appeal No. 2010-074
USTR FOIA No. 08122049

Ambassador Ron Kirk
United States Trade Representative
Executive Office of the President
600 17th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20508

Dear Ambassador Kirk:

Subject: Interagency Security Classification Appeals Panel decision on the mandatory declassification review appeal filed by Grant Smith

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 mandatory declassification review appeal filed by Grant Smith. The document is among the holdings of the Office of the United States Trade Representative. The document came before the ISCAP classified in its entirety. The ISCAP voted unanimously to declassify some portions and affirm the classification of other portions in the document. Enclosed is a chart that describes the document and outlines the ISCAP decision. If you would like to review the document that the ISCAP voted to declassify, please contact the ISCAP staff.

An agency head has the authority to appeal an ISCAP decision to the President in accordance with section 5.3(f) of Executive Order 13526. As Executive Secretary of the ISCAP, I will assume your receipt of this letter one week from its date, at which time the 60-day appeal period will commence under Article VIII, Paragraph I of the ISCAP bylaws (69 Fed. Reg. 17055, April 1, 2004).

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Additional details and procedures with respect to the discharge of your authorities in this matter are set forth in the ISCAP bylaws. If you have any questions, please contact Christopher O. Hofius, William C. Carpenter, or me. Our telephone number at the Information Security Oversight Office is (202) 357-5250.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "William A. Cira". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

WILLIAM A. CIRA
Executive Secretary

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Stacey Williams, Director of Security
Office of the United States Trade Representative

Mr. Grant Smith

**ISCAP DECISION ON THE MANDATORY DECLASSIFICATION REVIEW APPEAL
FILED BY GRANT SMITH**

IDENTIFYING NUMBERS	DESCRIPTION OF DOCUMENT	ACTION
Smith, document 1 ISCAP Appeal No. 2010-074 USTR FOIA No. 08122049	“Probable Economic Effect of Providing Duty-Free Treatment for Imports from Israel,” Investigation No. 332-180 May 1984 396 pages Confidential	DECLASSIFY SOME PORTIONS AND AFFIRM THE CLASSIFICATION OF OTHER PORTIONS E.O. 13526, § 3.3(b)(6)