

1 *Secretary shall establish procedures under which information*
2 *required for review of the National Security Agency shall be*
3 *obtained.*

4 ***“§ 193. Combat support agencies: duties of the Chairman of***
5 ***the Joint Chiefs of Staff***

6 *“(a) COMBAT READINESS.—(1) Periodically (and not*
7 *less often than every two years), the Chairman of the Joint*
8 *Chiefs of Staff shall submit to the Secretary of Defense a*
9 *report on the combat support agencies. Each such report shall*
10 *include—*

11 *“(A) a determination with respect to the respon-*
12 *siveness and readiness of each such agency to support*
13 *operating forces in the event of a war or threat to na-*
14 *tional security; and*

15 *“(B) any recommendations that the Chairman*
16 *considers appropriate.*

17 *“(2) In preparing each such report, the Chairman shall*
18 *review the plans of each such agency with respect to its sup-*
19 *port of operating forces in the event of a war or threat to*
20 *national security. After consultation with the Secretaries of*
21 *the military departments and the commanders of the unified*
22 *and specified combatant commands, as appropriate, the*
23 *Chairman may, in accordance with guidelines established by*
24 *the Secretary of Defense, take steps to provide for any revi-*
25 *sion of those plans that the Chairman considers appropriate.*