

Islands, the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, and any territory or possession of the United States.

"(b)(1) The President may issue an order excluding any agency or subdivision thereof from coverage under this chapter if the President determines that-

"(A) the agency or subdivision has a primary function intelligence, counterintelligence, investigative. or national security work, and

"(B) the provisions of this chapter cannot be applied to that agency or subdivision in a manner consistent with national security requirements and considerations.

"(2) The President may issue an order suspending any provision of this chapter with respect to any agency, installation, or activity located outside the 50 States and the District of Columbia, if the President determines that the suspension is necessary in the interest of national security.