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PRESENTS "Civil Liberties and Privacy after the 9/11 Bill" A Discussion With Daniel Sutherland Director, Office of Civil Liberties Department of Homeland Security



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The new legislation pays special attention to the 9/11 Commission's recommendations calling for greater vigilance over the civil liberties and privacy of citizens in an environment of heightened national security concerns. The new law called for the creation of a Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board at the White House, as well as a privacy and civil liberties officer for certain executive agencies and departments.

This program will focus on the implementation of the law's relevant provision at DHS. It will also address what else can be done to maintain the proper balance between security and civil liberties and privacy. Will the presence of a "watch dog" oversight board hamper the work of law enforcement agencies? How does the new law and regulations address the concerns of specific ethnic and religious groups in a post 9/11 America? Is there any cooperation between the federal government and state and local agencies in assuring a proper balance between security and privacy and civil liberties?

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