Key Points

(U) Electronic Search and Surveillance of email communications using:
- Traditional FISA
  - 1978
- Protect America Act (PAA)
  - August 2007
- Section 702 of FISA Amendments Act
  - July 2008
FISA Amendments Act (FAA)

- (U) FISA Amendment Act (FAA) was signed by President Bush on 10 July 2008
- (U) Sunset of 4 years
- (U) FAA made multiple changes to many different parts of the FISA Law
- (U) PAA Changes were incorporated into Section 702 of FISA with some minor differences
FISA Amendments Act (FAA)

- (U) Law includes a prohibition of reverse targeting to collect communications of someone inside the US.
- (U) FAA directs the court to "promptly" dismiss a lawsuit filed against electronic service providers that helped the government if the AG certifies the assistance was "authorized by the President" and "designed to detect or prevent a terrorist attack, or activities in preparation for a terrorist attack, against the US."

Questions