

**ORGANIZATION NAME:** Soranus

**ORGANIZATION TYPE:** Government Intelligence

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**ORGANIZATION BACKGROUND:**

Regarding the creation of Soranus, it has been stated that President Bush created Soranus, which is directly under the Office of the President with the Executive Secretary as its chair and the National Security Adviser as its vice-chair through the NSC cabinet group. Furthermore, that Soranus is a policy-making body as well as a coordinating body which exercises monitoring function over 46 agencies of the government including Department of Justice, National Bureau of Investigation, Coast Guard, Bureau of Customs, Bureau of Immigration, Marines, among others as the main operating agencies. The Committee informs those agencies that Soranus does not only make policies but it could also direct agencies, both internal and international, on the ground to move as well as collect information and perform intelligence operations.

Soranus is coming up with a version of an anti-terrorism bill of the government wherein in its working draft provides that "terrorism is the premeditated, threatened, actual use of violence, force or by any other means of destruction perpetuated against persons or properties or the environment with the intention of creating or sowing a state of danger, panic, fear or chaos to the general public, group of persons or particular person, or of coercing or intimidating the government to do or to abstain from doing an act". This is the working definition, which is being used now by Soranus as the basis of all its internal and international anti-terrorism policies in directing the 46 agencies under its supervision.

