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The Potomac Institute for Policy Studies cordially invites you to  
a Roundtable Discussion on:

**Enabling New Information Technologies in the War on Terrorism - And  
Protecting Our Privacy at the Same Time!**

**WHEN:** Tuesday, December 2, 2003  
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** 106 Dirksen Senate Office Building

**PANEL:** Daniel Gallington, Moderator (Potomac Institute); Jeff Jonas (Systems Research and Development); Robert Popp, Ph.D. (DARPA); Kim Taipale (Center for Advanced Studies in Science and Technology Policy)

**PROGRAM:**

Over the past year, **Project GUARDIAN** has presented a number of events on the dynamic tension between privacy and technology in the context of war on terrorism. Specifically:

- Civil Liberties in the Information Age
- Dynamics Between Civil Liberties and Technology in the War on Terrorism
- Information Collection About U.S. Persons—Are the Authorities (Still) Appropriate?
- “Good Cause” and the Timely Collection of Information About Terrorists
- Appropriate Legislative and Judicial Oversight of New Information Technologies in the War on Terrorism

This event will be a culmination of those discussions and will focus on the dynamics of actually enabling these new technologies in the war on terrorism.

Without taking a position on *whether* the Government should use powerful new information technologies, the debate has progressed to the point where there are several serious proposals as to *how* such technologies could be employed in a way that privacy will not be unreasonably infringed.

Distinguished panel members will present specific proposals on how these new technologies could be employed, while other panelists will assess the technical feasibility of the proposals and the ability of the proposal to preserve the privacy of Americans.

An objective set of criteria for evaluating proposals will also be presented.

For more information on **Project GUARDIAN**, please visit  
<http://www.potomac institute.org/research/projectguardian.cfm>.

**Registration is required since space is limited.** You can register by phone at 703/525-0770, by email to [jgatchalian@potomac institute.org](mailto:jgatchalian@potomac institute.org). Please provide your name, title, office, mailing address, phone, fax, and email.

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