In a letter to Secretary Rumsfeld, Rep. Waxman raises questions about the legality of the decision to award Halliburton a task order to develop contingency plans for Iraq's oil infrastructure, citing new GAO findings that Secretary Rumsfeld's office overruled Army officials who questioned the issuance of the task order. Rep. Waxman's letter also asks for information about the recently disclosed communications between the Defense Department and Vice President Cheney's office regarding Halliburton's oil contracts. **Documents and Links**

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