

## Groups: Congress knew about 'torture'

Human rights groups said documents released by the CIA on Monday reveal that members of Congress were told more about the CIA's interrogations of terrorism suspects than some lawmakers have acknowledged.

The documents show that Democratic and Republican leaders were briefed about techniques used during the questioning of alleged al-Qaeda member Abu Zubaydah.

"Members of Congress must come clean about whether they encouraged or objected to torture during these many secret meetings with CIA officials," said Gitanjali Gutierrez, an attorney for the New York-based Center for Constitutional Rights.

