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Freedom, liberty and morality are pinnacle values in societies. According to most sociologists and social thinkers, it is science of ethics that governs societies in an effective way. Nevertheless, film “Enemy of State” explains dilemma of those societies where state itself hampers the social fabric. Here, film projects ill-side of high state security and state intervention in private lives of individuals.In this film, a person who had sensitive information was made to undergo difficult circumstances. His personal life was totally in tatters as he belonged to middle stratum of society. This high-handed approach of NSA and influence of the politician is clearly expressed in this film. Besides, this film is an exact portrayal of the fact that sometimes government – guarantor of liberties- itself become a reason of intervention and surveillance. This film is a manifestation of the fact that individual’s life and liberties are under constant watch, and this corresponds well with the Edward Snowden’s claims that American society is under strong observation. He listed various injustices and abuses by the state in this regard. His claim that NSA is focused on getting sensitive information by any means and from anywhere is justified because states do adopt such insensitive methods in name of national interests. In addition, its outreach has expanded and even domestic spheres are not excluded from it. In this vein, taping of calls andcommunication among people is done frequently[[1]](#footnote-1). Even people are cognizant of this fact and they have launched protests against this interventionist approach of state. As a matter of fact, this is not a liberal and moral approach of state authorities as it runs counters to preamble[[2]](#footnote-2) of US Constitution and later bill of rights[[3]](#footnote-3) which affirm right of freedom, liberty and pursuit of happiness to all.

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