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FORT BELVOIR, VA 22060-6201

OCT 25 2016

John Greenewald
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Re: FOIA Case No.: 16-078

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

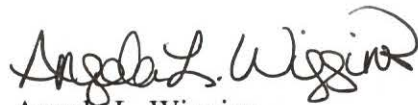
This is our final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, perfected on September 12, 2016 and assigned FOIA Case number 16-078 by the Defense Threat Reduction Agency and United States Strategic Command Center for Combating Weapons of Mass Destruction (DTRA/SCC-WMD). You requested copies of all memos, electronic or otherwise, sent out by the DTRA/SCC-WMD Designated Agency Ethics Official from January 1, 2015 to present.

The records responsive to your request totaling 2 pages are being withheld in part under FOIA Exemption 6 that applies to information which, if released, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of individuals. No fees are due as the assessable costs total \$15.00 or less.

All determinations are made on behalf of the Initial Denial Authority, Mr. Joseph J. Urgese, Deputy General Counsel. If you consider this decision to be an adverse determination, you may file a written appeal that is postmarked no later than 90 days after the date of this letter to the Executive Director, DTRA/SCC-WMD, Office of the General Counsel (FOIA/PA), 8725 John J. Kingman Road, MSC 6201, Fort Belvoir, Virginia 22060. The appeal should reference the FOIA case number, contain a concise statement of the grounds upon which the appeal is brought, and a description of the relief sought. A copy of this letter should also accompany your appeal. Both the envelope and your letter should clearly identify that a Freedom of Information Act Appeal is being made.

For any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request, you have the right to contact the DTRA/SCC-WMD FOIA Public Liaison, Ms. Pamela Andrews, by phone at (703)767-1792 or by email at dtrafoiaprivacy@mail.mil. Additionally, you have the right to contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Angela L. Wiggins". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end of the last name.

Angela L. Wiggins
Government Information Specialist
Freedom of Information/Privacy Act Office

From: [John Greenewald](#)
To: [DTRA Ft Belvoir JO Mailbox EFOIA Privacy](#)
Subject: [Non-DoD Source] FOIA REQUEST
Date: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 1:33:06 PM

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To whom it may concern,

This is a non-commercial request made under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 5 U.S.C. S 552. My FOIA requester status as a "representative of the news media." I am a freelance television producer often working on documentaries related to my FOIA requests, my work is commonly featured throughout major news organizations, and I freelance writer for news sites as well. Examples can be given, if needed.

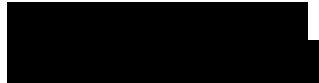
I prefer electronic delivery of the requested material either via email to john@greenewald.com or via CD-ROM or DVD via postal mail. Please contact me should this FOIA request should incur a charge.

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Thank you so much for your time, and I am very much looking forward to your response.

Sincerely,

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Defense Threat Reduction Agency
MEMORANDUM

Date: September 23, 2016

Reply to
Attn of: J0GC (767-4561)

Subject: Appointment of Alternate Designated Agency Ethics Official (ADAEO)

To: (b)(6)

In accordance with the provisions of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978, as amended, and as implemented by regulations of the U.S. Office of Government Ethics, you are hereby appointed as an ADAEO for the Defense Threat Reduction Agency. Your authority and responsibility will include all matters specified in 5 C.F.R. 2635 and 2638, and 41 U.S.C. 423.



Craig G. Miller
General Counsel

Defense Threat Reduction Agency
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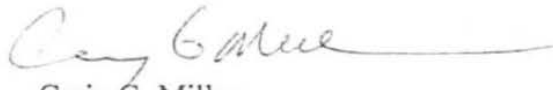
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