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DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20340-5100



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Mr. John Greenewald, Jr.



Dear Mr. Greenewald:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated November 4, 2014 that you submitted to the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) for a copy of records, electronic or otherwise, pertaining to: Project 908 and the National Program Office. I apologize for the delay in responding to your request. DIA continues its efforts to eliminate the large backlog of pending FOIA requests. In order to properly respond, it was necessary to consult with another office within the agency.

A search of DIA's systems of records located four documents (25 pages) responsive to the subject of your request. Of these records, two documents (12 pages) have been referred to other government agencies for review and direct response to you as they did not originate with DIA.

Upon review, it has been determined that all substantive portions of the remaining two documents (13 pages) must be withheld in full from disclosure pursuant to the FOIA. The withheld portions are exempt from release pursuant to Exemptions 1 and 3 of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(1) and (b)(3). Exemption 1 applies to information properly classified under the criteria of Executive Order 13526. Exemption 3 applies to information specifically exempted by a statute establishing particular criteria for withholding. The applicable statutes are 10 U.S.C. § 424 and 50 U.S.C. § 3024(i). Statute 10 U.S.C. § 424 protects the identity of DIA employees, the organizational structure of the agency, and any function of DIA. Statute 50 U.S.C. § 3024(i) protects intelligence sources and methods.

If you are not satisfied with my response to your request, you may exercise your right to file an administrative appeal by writing to the address below and referring to case number 0055-2015. Your appeal must be postmarked no later than 60 days after the date of this letter.

Defense Intelligence Agency 7400 Pentagon ATTN: FAC2A1 (FOIA) Washington, D.C. 20301-7400

Sincerely,

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