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United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

Case No. F-2014-09343

Mr. John Greenwald
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Dear Mr. Greenwald:

In response to your request dated January 5, 2014 under the Freedom of Information Act (Title 5 USC Section 552), to the FBI, that Bureau located one State Department document. They asked us to review if to determine whether or not it could be released to you.

We have done so and are pleased to enclose a copy of the document.

Please note that the FBI has excised some information from the document (the blank boxes). They have marked their reasons for their decisions on the document. They cite FOIA exemptions b(6) and b(7)(c). We attach a sheet which explains the meaning of those citations.

If you should wish to appeal the FBI's excisions, you may write to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), U.S. Department of Justice, 1425 New York Avenue, N.W., Suite 11050, Washington, D.C., 20530-0001 within 60 days of the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John F. Hackett".

John F. Hackett, Acting Director
Office of Information Programs and Services

Enclosure:
As stated.

Guide to FOIA Exemptions

The Freedom of Information Act generally provides that any person has a right, enforceable in court, of access to federal agency records, except to the extent that such records (or portions thereof) are protected from disclosure by one of nine exemptions, or by one of three special law enforcement record exclusions.

Exemption (b)(1) protects from disclosure national security information concerning the national defense or foreign policy, provided that it has been properly classified in accordance with Executive Order 13526.

Exemption (b)(2) exempts from mandatory disclosure records "related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency."

Exemption (b)(3) covers information "specifically exempted from disclosure by statute."

Exemption (b)(4) protects "trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person that is privileged or confidential."

Exemption (b)(5) protects "inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party ... in litigation with the agency."

Exemption (b)(6) permits the government to withhold all information about individuals in "personnel and medical files and similar files" when the disclosure of such information "would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy."

Exemption (b)(7)(A) authorizes the withholding of "records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that production of such law enforcement records or information ... could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings."

Exemption (b)(7)(B) protects "records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes (the disclosure of which) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication.

Exemption (b)(7)(C) provides protection for personal information in law enforcement records the disclosure of which "could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Exemption (b)(7)(D) provides protection for "records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes which could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of a confidential source and information furnished by a confidential **source**."

Exemption (b)(7)(E) provides protection to all law enforcement information which "would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law."

Exemption (b)(7)(F) permits the withholding of information necessary to protect the physical safety of "any individual" when disclosure of information about him "could reasonably be expected to endanger his life or physical safety."

Exemption (b)(8) protects matter that are "contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions."

Exemption (b)(9) protects "geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells."

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The Department of State refers to the request from
the Mission for the recognition in a consular capacity of
the officer named below.

In conformity with the notification furnished the
Department, there is transmitted herewith, as requested,
the appropriate document of recognition.

Name

Alton Ochsner, Sr.

Capacity in which recognized

Honorary Consul of Honduras at
New Orleans, Louisiana.

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