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12 July 2018

Mr. John Greenewald, Jr. 27305 W. Live Oak Rd. Suite #1203 Castaic, CA 91384

REF: NRO Case Number: F-2018-00102

NSA Case 104410 (R-1)

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

This is in response to your request dated 23 May 2018, and received in the National Reconnaissance Office (NRO) by way of referral from the National Security Agency (NSA) on 6 June 2018. Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), you requested "a copy of the Intellipedia entry...for...STEX."

NSA referred a one-page document for NRO's further review, treatment and direct response to you. We have processed the referral in accordance with the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552, as amended. The document is being released to you in part.

Material withheld from release is denied pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(1) as properly classified information under Executive Order 13526, Sections 1.4(c) and 1.4(g); and exemption (b)(3), which is the basis for withholding information exempt from disclosure by statute. The relevant withholding statutes are 10 U.S.C. § 424, 50 U.S.C. § 3024(i), and 50 U.S.C. § 3605.

You have the right to appeal this determination to the NRO Appellate Authority, 14675 Lee Road, Chantilly, VA 20151-1715, within 90 days of the above date. You may also submit an appeal electronically by completing the form available on the NRO's public web site at http://www.nro.gov/foia/AppealInput.aspx. Please include an explanation of the reason(s) for your appeal as part of your submission. The FOIA also provides that you may seek dispute resolution for any adverse determination through the NRO FOIA Public Liaison and/or through the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). Please refer to the OGIS public web page at https://ogis.archive.gov/ for additional information.

If you have any questions, please call the NRO Requester Service Center at (703) 227-9326 and reference case number F-2018-00102.

Sincerely,

Patricia B. Cameresi FOIA Public Liaison

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