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Subject: Re: Bill Adams FOIA Request

Please see me before doing any FOIA work.To: Jeremy Gunn/ARRBcc: From: Laura Denk/ARRB

Date: 07/31/95 09:04:12 AMSubject: Bill Adams FOIA RequestWhen you have some time today, could you fill me in on what you think we have in response to Bill Adams' FOIA request for the Cynthia Wegmann materials. Aside from the materials she turned over, he requested the following:(1)Indices, listings, or other records pertaining to the requested subject;(2)Correspondence to or from Cynthia Wegmann regarding the requested subject;(3)Correspondence to or from Gerald Posner regarding the requested subject;(4)Correspondence to or from the NARA regarding the requested subject;(5)Statements of witnesses in Clinton and Jackson, LA;(6)and, any administrative files we may have on the subject.On Friday, David talked to me about adding language to our FOIA regulation that allows us to refuse to respond to FOIA requests on all assassination records, including local and private assassination records. Currently, our FOIA regulation states that Review Board records do not include assassination records "owned" by other Federal agencies, but the documents are still FOIAble -- because requesters can direct their requests to the originating agency.I told David that I am not sure that DOJ/OIP will let us exempt private records from the FOIA, when we are clearly in possession and control of the documents. We may need to work out an agreement with NARA that indicates that people who give documents to us are really giving them to NARA (after a quick stopover in our office.) Then, in the FOIA reg, private records would be "owned by another Federal agency" just as CIA or FBI records are - except that the other Federal agency would be NARA. I am going to be doing the final version of the FOIA regs this week, so that we can start quoting our regs to Bill Adams and Joe Backes as soon as possible.Thanks.

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