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Re: Request under the FOIA, in reply refer to Archive#

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Dear Mr. Marineau:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), I hereby request the following:

Copies of the following records stored at the Washington Records Center in Suitland, Maryland (accession no. 0040, volume 3): "DR's Official Correspondence File" (Jan-Dec 89), "DR's Message File" (Jan-Dec 89), and "DR's Chron Files of Correspondence" (1 Jan-15 May 89) in DIA Box Numbers 1/3, "DR's Chron Files of Correspondence" (16 May-15 Nov 89) in DIA Box Numbers 2/3, and "DR's Chron Files of Correspondence" (16 Nov-31 Dec 89) in DIA Box Numbers 3/3. I have included a copy of the SF-135, which gives the location information of these documents for your convenience.

As you are aware, records such as these, stored at the Washington Records Center but not yet accessioned to NARA must be retrieved from the WRC and reviewed for release under FOIA by the originating agency (the DIA in this case). For more information, see Title  $36 \rightarrow$  Chapter XII  $\rightarrow$  Subchapter  $C \rightarrow$  Part 1250  $\rightarrow$  (c) of NARA's regulations, available at https://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=212c3f863ee5ea2d0d03ca4ab31e4a49&mc=true&node=pt36.3.1250&rgn=div5#se36.3.1250\_18.

If you regard any of these documents as potentially exempt from the FOIA's disclosure requirements, I request that you nonetheless exercise your discretion to disclose them. As the FOIA requires, please release all reasonably segregable non exempt portions of documents. To permit me to reach an intelligent and informed decision whether or not to file an administrative appeal of any denied material, please describe any withheld records (or portions thereof) and explain the basis for your exemption claims.

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To expedite the release of the requested documents, please disclose them on an interim basis as they become available to you, without waiting until all the documents have been processed. Please notify me before incurring any photocopying costs over \$100. If you have any questions regarding the identity of the records, their location, the scope of the request or any other matters, please call me at (202) 994-7000 or email me at foiamail@gwu.edu. I look forward to receiving your response within the twenty day statutory time period.

Sincerely yours,

Nate Jones

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