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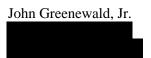
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P.O. Box 648010 Lee's Summit, MO 64064-8010



July 22, 2016 COW2016000663



Dear John Greenewald, Jr.:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act (FOIA/PA) request received in this office July 08, 2016 regarding all correspondence from FOIA case COW2016000340, Mohamed Atta.

We have completed the review of all documents and have identified 27 pages that are responsive to your request. Enclosed are 16 pages released in their entirety and 10 pages released in part. In addition, we have held 1 page in full. We have reviewed and have determined to release all information except those portions that are exempt pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(6) and (b)(7)(E) of the FOIA.

Exemption (b)(6) permits the government to withhold all information about individuals in personnel, medical and similar files where the disclosure of such information would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. The types of documents and/or information we have withheld may consist of birth certificates, naturalization certificates, drivers' licenses, social security numbers, home addresses, dates of birth, or various other documents and/or information belonging to a third party that are considered personal.

Exemption (b)(7)(E) provides protection for records or information for law enforcement purposes 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. The types of documents and/or information we have withheld could consist of law enforcement systems checks, manuals, checkpoint locations, surveillance techniques, and various other documents.

As a matter of administrative discretion, we are releasing computer codes found on system screen prints previously withheld under exemption b(2). There may be additional documents that contain discretionary releases of exempt information. We will identify discretionary releases within the record. These discretionary releases do not waive our ability to invoke applicable FOIA exemptions for similar or related information in the future.

The enclosed record consists of the best reproducible copies available. Certain pages may contain marks that appear to be blacked-out information. Such black marks would have been present prior to our receipt of the file and are not information we have withheld under the provisions of the FOIA or PA.

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If you wish to appeal this determination, you may write to the USCIS FOIA/PA Appeals Office, 150 Space Center Loop, Suite 500, Lee's Summit, MO 64064-2139, within 60 days of the date of this letter. Both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

The National Records Center does not process petitions, applications or any other type of benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act. If you have questions or wish to submit documentation relating to a matter pending with the bureau, you must address these issues with your nearest District Office.

All FOIA/PA related requests, including address changes, must be submitted in writing and be signed by the requester. Please include the NRC number listed above on all correspondence with this office. Requests may be mailed to the FOIA/PA Officer at the PO Box listed at the top of the letterhead, or sent by fax to 816-350-5785. You may also submit FOIA/PA related requests to our e-mail address at uscis.foia@uscis.dhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Jill A. Eggleston

Director, FOIA Operations

Enclosure(s)

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## **Details for Person**

Applicant	
Last Name	ATTA
First Name	MOHAMED
Middle Name	MOHAMED ELAMIR
Date of Birth	09-01-1968
Nationality Code	EGYP
Place of Birth	Egypt (EGYP)
Passport Number	1617066, Regular
Visa Control Number	2000138 958 0003
SEVIS ID	
Issuing Post Name	BERLIN (BRL)

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Activity Description	Application To Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status
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Applicant First Name	MOHAMED
Applicant Middle Name	,
Applicant Date of Birth	09-01-1968
Applicant Country of Birth	EGYPT
Applicant Alien Number	N/A
Applicant Social Security Number	
Applicant Marital Status	
Applicant Address	
Street Address	516 W LAUREL RD
City	NOKOMIS
State .	FL
Province	
ZIP	34275
Country	
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Sequence Number	0`
Part 2.1	В
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Case Status Date	03-12-2002
Priority Date	
Action Requested	Α
Date of Action	
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Denial Code	

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### **Details for Person**

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Father's First Name	
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Naturalization Certificate Number	
Sequence Number	
Country of Citizenship	
Current Class	
Class Expires	:
Job Code	
Class Granted	
Education Code	
Field of Study	
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To:	
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Subject:	USCIS Weekly Report, April 28, 2016 - May 4, 2016
Attachments:	Request.pdf
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- I. Efficiency and Transparency—Steps taken to increase transparency and make forms and processes used by the general public more user-friendly, particularly web-based and Freedom of Information Act related items:
  - N/A

#### II. Freedom of Information Act Requests

N/A

#### Late requests

- On April 22, 2016, 2016, Andy Sullivan, a correspondent at Reuters News in Washington, DC, requested from the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) information relating to form 1-129 nonimmigrant worker and/or trainee petitions granted to Cognizant, Inc. from 2014 to present. (Case Number USCIS COW2016000382)
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#### III. Freedom of Information Act Releases

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#### IV. Freedom of Information Act Appeals

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#### IV. Freedom of Information Act Appeals

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#### (b)(6) V. Freedom of Information Act Appeals Releases

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statistics for approved H-1B petitions for immigrants working in Tennessee from January 1, 2015 thru April 27, 2016. (Case number USCIS COW2016000418)

#### III. Freedom of Information Act Releases

- On April 28, 2016, the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) released to **John Greenewald, Jr.**, a freelance writer in Northridge, California, ten pages of records consisting of I-539 screen-prints pertaining to the late Mohamed Atta. These records were released in full. (Case Number USCIS COW2016000340) The release is uploaded into SharePoint: Click here to view
- On April 28, 2015, the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) released to
  Kyra Gurney, a journalist with Stabile Center for Investigative Journalism in New York,
  New York, 2,000 pages of records pertaining to the late Carlos Andres Perez, former president of
  Venezuela. Portions of the release were withheld pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act
  Exemptions 5, 6, 7(C) and 7(E). (Case Number USCIS COW2016000106) The records were
  too large to upload into SharePoint.
- On May 10, 2016, the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) released to Kyra Gurney, a freelance journalist and fellow at the Stabile Center for Investigative Journalism in New York, New York, 1,899 pages of records consisting of all emails between Representative Mario Diaz-Balart (R-FL) and his staff and the USCIS Hialeah, Kendall and Miami field offices pertaining to constituents and other individuals attempting to gain assistance with their immigration process that were sent or received between June 1, 2014 and January 24, 2016. Portions of the release were withheld pursuant to Freedom of Information Act Exemption 6. (Case Number USCIS COW2016000073) The release is uploaded into SharePoint: Click here to view

#### IV. Freedom of Information Act Appeals

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#### NRC, FOIASIG

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From: John Greenewald [mailto:john@greenewald.com]

Sent: Thursday, January 28, 2016 12:35 PM

To: FOIA, USCIS

Subject: FOIA REQUEST

To whom it may concern,

This is a non-commercial request made under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 5 U.S.C. S 552. My FOIA requester status as a "representative of the news media." I am a freelance television producer often working on documentaries related to my FOIA requests, my work is commonly featured throughout major news organizations, and I freelance writer for news sites as well. Examples can be given, if needed.

I prefer electronic delivery of the requested material either via email to <u>john@greenewald.com</u> or via CD-ROM or DVD via postal mail. Please contact me should this FOIA request should incur a charge.

I respectfully request a copy of the most recent copy of the following:

- A copy of Mohamed Atta's change of status request/application from a B-2 visitor visa to an M visa for foreign student pilots in 2000 or 2001;
- A copy of these forms relating to Mohammed Atta: I-94 forms, I-130 forms,
- I-131 forms, I-129 forms, I-539 forms including any I-20 forms noting transfer of a B-2/B-1 visa;
- A copy of any applications Mohamed Atta filed for schools;
- Any and all passports issued to Atta, including a copy of applications for the Conch Republic Passport.

These records were requested in 2012 and 2014, but denied. However, this was done on the basis I needed Atta's permission, who is clearly dead. I hope after the time that has elapsed, this request will be processed properly, and fulfilled.

Thank you so much for your time, and I am very much looking forward to your response.

Sincerely,

John Greenewald, Jr.

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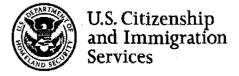
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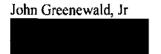
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April 14, 2016

COW2016000340



#### Dear John Greenewald, Jr.

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act (FOIA/PA) request received in this office January 28, 2016 regarding change of status documents for Mohamed Atta including I-94, I-130, I-131, I-129, and I-539. The original case number, COW2016000077 was administratively closed. The new case number is COW2016000340.

We were unable to locate the subject's alien file, however, we did locate information regarding the subject in our electronic system and have provided screen-prints. We have completed the review of the screen-prints and have identified ten pages that are responsive to your request. Enclosed are ten pages released in their entirety.

In accordance with Department of Homeland Security Regulations (6 C.F.R. § 5.4(a)), USCIS uses a "cut-off" date to delineate the scope of a FOIA request by treating records created after that date as not responsive to that request. Therefore, in determining which records are responsive to your request, we included only records in the possession of this agency as of January 28, 2015, the date we began the search for records.

The enclosed record consists of the best reproducible copies available. Certain pages may contain marks that appear to be blacked-out information. If so, the black marks were made prior to our receipt of the file and are not information we have withheld under the provisions of the FOIA or PA.

If you wish to appeal this determination, you may write to the USCIS FOIA/PA Appeals Office, 150 Space Center Loop, Suite 500, Lee's Summit, MO 64064-2139, within 60 days of the date of this letter. Both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

The National Records Center does not process petitions, applications or any other type of benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act. If you have questions or wish to sūbmit documentation relating to a matter pending with the bureau, you must address these issues with your nearest District Office.

All FOIA/PA related requests, including address changes, must be submitted in writing and be signed by the requester. Please include the control number listed above on all correspondence with this office. Requests may be mailed to the FOIA/PA Officer at the PO Box listed at the top of the letterhead, or sent by fax to (816) 350-5785. You may also submit FOIA/PA related requests to our e-mail address at uscis.foia@uscis.dhs.gov.

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Sincerely,

Jill A. Eggleston
Director, FOIA Operations

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I case created a case asking for all correspondence, email, and communications relating to FOIA Case COW2016000340 relating to Mohamed Atta. All that was processed out were screen prints. I did a SIG staffing but was not sure if there were any other individuals that we need to staff to relating to discussions regarding the FOIA. Also wanted to give you a heads up that this case is pending. I will send out an email to SIG to see if anyone has any emails relating to this case. Please advise if you want me to do any additional staffings. Thanks!