United States Department of State



Washington, D.C. 20520

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Case No. F-2015-06322

Mr. William F. Marshall 425 Third Street SW, Suite 800 Washington, DC 20024

Dear Mr. Marshall:

I refer you to our letter dated May 31, 2017, regarding the release of certain Department of State ("Department") records under the Freedom of Information Act (the "FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552. We have completed processing responsive records from the material provided to the Department by the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI") on June 15, 2017.

The Department's processing of these materials has yielded 139 unique agency records. After reviewing these documents, we have determined that 54 may be released in full, and 85 may be released in part. All released material can be found on the Department's FOIA website at https://foia.state.gov/Search/Results.aspx?collection=Litigation_F-2015-06322.

An enclosure explains the FOIA exemptions and other grounds for withholding material. Where we have made excisions, the applicable exemptions are marked on each document. All non-exempt material that is reasonably segregable from the exempt material has been released. No documents from this collection have been withheld in full.

Furthermore, certain documents provided by the FBI are duplicative of records that the Department previously made available to the public through its FOIA website. For your convenience, we provide the enclosed table referencing each of the previously-released documents.

This completes the processing of your request. If you have any questions, your attorney may contact Trial Attorney, James Bickford, at (202) 305-7632 or James.Bickford@usdoj.gov. Please refer to the case number shown above in all correspondence about this case.

Sincerely,

Eric F. Stein, Director

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Enclosure: As stated