Central Intelligence Agency



Washington, D.C. 20505

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Mr. Matthew Scott Breay

Reference: F-2008-01215

Dear Mr. Breay:

This is a final response to your 1 May 2008 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, received in the office of the Information and Privacy Coordinator on 8 May 2008, requesting records pertaining to International Engineering & Venture Group (IEVG) located at 1700 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 400, Washington D.C., 20006.

In accordance with section 3.6(a) of Executive Order 12958, as amended, the CIA can neither confirm nor deny the existence or nonexistence of records responsive to your request. The fact of the existence or nonexistence of requested records is properly classified and is intelligence sources and methods information that is protected from disclosure by section 6 of the CIA Act of 1949, as amended. Therefore, the Agency has denied your request pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(1) and (b)(3). I have enclosed an explanation of these exemptions for your reference and retention.

CIA Information and Privacy Coordinator Delores M. Nelson made this decision, which you may appeal to the Agency Release Panel, in my care, within 45 days from the date of this letter. You may include any additional information supporting your position or explaining why you think our initial decision is wrong.

Sincerely,

Delores M. Nelson Information and Privacy Coordinator

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