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Mr. John Tedesco
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Coastal Bend Bureau



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Dear Mr. Tedesco:

This is a final response to your 7 May 2002 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for records generated by or sent to CIA Director George J. Tenet pertaining to the September 11 terrorist attacks. Your request was processed in accordance with the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552, as amended, and the CIA Information Act, 50 U.S.C. § 431. Our processing included a search for records in existence as of and through the date of our acceptance letter, 24 March 2003.

We have completed a thorough search for records responsive to your request and located material which we have determined must be denied in its entirety on the basis of FOIA exemptions (b)(1), (b)(3), (b)(5), and (b)(7)(A). An explanation of exemptions is enclosed.

You have the right to appeal this decision by addressing your appeal to the Agency Release Panel within 45 days from the date of this letter, in my care. Should you choose to do this, please explain the basis of your appeal.

We appreciate your patience while we processed this request.

Sincerely,



for

Information and Privacy Coordinator

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