

Central Intelligence Agency



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Mr. Kel McClanahan, Esq.
Executive Director
National Security Counselors
1200 South Courthouse Road
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Arlington, VA 22204

Reference: F-2010-01612

Dear Mr. McClanahan:

We received your 2 October 2010 facsimile on 4 October 2010 appealing our 30 September 2010 final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for "a database listing of all the FOIA requesters from FY 2008 – present that you have classified as 'news media.'" Specifically, you appealed our determination that we could not accept your request because the FOIA does not require federal agencies to create a record, collect information, conduct research, or analyze data.

Please be advised that since we did not provide you with appeal rights, we cannot accept your appeal. However, as you know, you are free to submit a new FOIA request at any time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Koch", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Scott Koch
Acting Information and Privacy Coordinator

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