

Exhibit A

From: State Department FOIA <noreply@mail.foia.state.gov >
Date: May 18, 2020 at 10:28:49 AM EDT
To: David Bossie <DavidBossie@citizensunited.org >
Subject: FOIA Request Letter

Thank you for filing your FOIA request online on 5/18/2020. Here is a review of your request.

The records I request can be described as follows:

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request copies of the following records: -Records of communication between the U.S. Embassy in Ukraine and the Prosecutor General's Office of Ukraine (PGO) referencing Burisma, Mykola Zlochevsky, Hunter Biden, Blue Star Strategies, Karen Tramontano, Sally Painter, or John Buretta. -Records of communication between the U.S. Embassy in Ukraine and the National Anti-Corruption Bureau of Ukraine (NABU) referencing Burisma, Mykola Zlochevsky, Hunter Biden, Blue Star Strategies, Karen Tramontano, Sally Painter, or John Buretta. Date Range: November 1, 2015 – February 28, 2017

The time period of my request is from 11/01/2015 to 02/28/2017

I am a representative of the news media seeking information as part of a news gathering effort and not for commercial use.

Additional documentation or comments will be required.

I represent Citizens United/Documentary Filmmaker

I am willing to pay \$25 for my request.

I have a compelling need for expeditious handling:

- An urgency to inform the public concerning actual or alleged Federal Government activity exists.

This option available for **ONLY PERSONS PRIMARILY ENGAGED IN DISSEMINATING INFORMATION.**

- Information provided will be used for a time-sensitive project that will be made available to the public.

My additional comments are as follows:

N/A

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