

# **EXHIBIT D**



Chris Johnson &lt;cjohnson@dcagenda.com&gt;

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**Re: Seeking update on F-2020-08789**

1 message

**FOIA Status** <FOIAStatus@state.gov>

Fri, Feb 5, 2021 at 11:12 AM

To: "cjohnson@washblade.com" &lt;cjohnson@washblade.com&gt;

Mr. Johnson,

This is in reference to your email below regarding the status of FOIA request control number F-2020-08789.

The Office of Information Programs and Services electronic records system indicates that request control number F-2020-08789 continues to be processed. The estimated date of completion (EDC) is October 23, 2023. EDCs are estimates and are subject to change. Please be advised that the Department takes its FOIA responsibilities seriously and is processing this request as quickly as possible. If the request can be completed prior to the EDC, a response will be sent sooner.

If you have any concerns or questions regarding a FOIA-related matter, please contact the FOIA Requester Service Center at 202-261-8484 or send an e-mail to [foiastatus@state.gov](mailto:foiastatus@state.gov).

Sincerely,

U.S. Department of State

FOIA Requester Service Center

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**From:** Chris Johnson <cjohnson@washblade.com>**Sent:** Tuesday, February 2, 2021 3:54 PM**To:** FOIA Status <FOIAStatus@state.gov>**Subject:** Seeking update on F-2020-08789- When is it coming?

Greetings!

I'm writing to request an update on F-2020-08789, which I submitted to the State Department in September 2020. When would the production be available?

Also, I'd like to modify the request in hopes that will expedite processing. Please delete the terms "criminalize" and "criminalization" from my search request.

Thanks for any help.

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