



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20220

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RE: Your FOIA Request to Treasury, Case Number 2022-FOIA-00008

Dear Ms.North-Best:

This letter acknowledges the receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the U.S. Department of the Treasury, dated 10/05/2021. You have requested access to the following records:

“Copies of lists or indexes of frequent requested records under FOIA and other disclosure laws, including but not limited to those subject to the Rule of Three

I also request copies of emails, memos and letters discussing the handling of frequently requested records that are subject to the Rule of Three but not limited to the removal of any such records.

You may limit this request to records generated between January 1, 1999)or since your office's creation, whichever came later) and December 31, 2019.”

I have initiated a search within the Departmental Offices for records that would be responsive to your request. Every effort will be made to provide you with a timely response; however, unusual circumstances exist regarding the search for and review of potentially responsive records which may delay our response. This may include the need to consult with multiple program offices, to review a voluminous quantity of records, or to search for records stored in multiple locations. I invite you to contact my office to discuss limiting the scope of your request which could significantly reduce the time needed to process your request.

If you have any questions or wish to discuss reformulation or an alternative time frame for the processing of your request, you may contact Treasury’s FOIA Public Liaison by phone at (202) 622-8098 or by email at FOIAPL@treasury.gov.

If the FOIA Public Liaison is unable to satisfactorily resolve your question or concern, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) also mediates disputes between FOIA requesters and federal agencies as a non-exclusive alternative to litigation. If you wish to contact OGIS,

you may contact the agency directly by email at OGIS@nara.gov, by phone at (877) 684-6448, by fax at (202) 741-5769 or by mail at the address below:

Office of Government Information Services
National Archives and Records Administration
8601 Adelphi Road – OGIS
College Park, MD 20740-6001

You may reach me via telephone at 202-622-0930, extension 2; or via e-mail at FOIA@treasury.gov. Please reference FOIA case number 2022-FOIA-00008 when contacting our office about this request.

Sincerely,
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