

Exhibit B

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From: **Amanda Weimer** <amanda.weimer@nara.gov>

Date: Fri, Nov 30, 2018 at 10:31 AM

Subject: Your Freedom of Information Act request RD 59533 at the National Archives

To: <conteaa@gmail.com>

Requester Conte--

I am writing in response to your Freedom of Information Act request of November 8, 2018, for records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Administration. Your request was received in this office on November 14, 2018, and assigned FOIA case number **RD 59533**.

You received a response to your expedited processing request on November 16, 2018.

You requested access to FBI case files on **Warren Hart**. I have attached a .pdf version of a worksheet documenting my initial search, which used the entire allotted 2 hours.

Because of the large number of citations, I concentrated my search for textual records within our building to the files likely to get you the highest concentration of useful information on Warren Hart: the "primary" files where Hart is the subject of the file, and files where Hart appears in a large number of serials within the file, even though he is not the subject of the file (indicated as highlighted cells).

Case file 157-BA-3365 is on **Warren Hart**. The file is arranged in 4 sections and has an estimated 350 pages, compiled as part of a civil and racial unrest investigation beginning in September 1968.

Case file 157-WFO-2619 is on the **Center for Black Education**. The file is arranged in 39 sections and contains approximately 12,000 pages, compiled as part of a civil and racial unrest investigation conducted between September 1969 and May 1977.

Case file 100-WFO-43503 is on **Stokely Carmichael**. The file is arranged in 112 sections containing approximately 23,000 pages, compiled as part of an internal security investigation conducted between June 1964 and June 1978.

These files requires screening for categories of information exempted from disclosure under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act, prior to public release. In particular, there are documents that may be redacted to protect the identities of confidential sources, including FBI informant codes and informant file numbers.

The initial page count for these files exceeds 35,000 pages. Requests for FBI case files that exceed 500 pages are assigned to our second-tier processing queue. Files with more than 1,000 pages are processed on an incremental basis, at 1,000 pages per year. You will receive a response in partial fulfillment of your request after we have completed the first installment. We will provide you with an update on the status of your request and an estimated completion date at that time. To give you an indication of our existing backlog, we are currently processing second-tier requests received in the spring of 2013.

You may be able to reduce your estimated wait time by narrowing the scope of your request to less than 500 pages and becoming eligible for our first-tier processing queue. The estimated time required to complete the processing of a first-tier request is approximately 24 months from the date of this correspondence.

I would recommend narrowing your request to only case file 157-BA-3365 on Warren Hart, as that file would be eligible for first tier review.

If you have specific questions regarding the subject of your request or **would like to discuss narrowing your request**, please contact me directly at Amanda.Weimer@nara.gov or at [\(301\) 837-0604](tel:3018370604). All communications concerning this request should reference your case tracking number RD 59533.

To notify this office of a **change in your contact information** or to **track the status of your request**, please telephone [301-837-3190](tel:3018373190) or e-mail specialaccess_foia@nara.gov.

If you are not satisfied with our action on this request and would like the opportunity to discuss our response, you may contact our FOIA Public Liaison for assistance:

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