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Jessica Morton,

Thank you for speaking with me this afternoon and allowing me to explain the mix-up with your communications. Per our agreement on the phone, this Office will work on an interim response of our search of the Departmental Executive Secretariat, which is the official records repository for the Office of the Deputy Attorney General (ODAG). I estimate this interim response to be competed in approximately four to six weeks. Should additional time be needed, we will advise you of this. Furthermore, I am providing you a list of the ODAG and Office of Legal Policy (OLP) officials that we are currently searching via our eDiscovery system. Utilizing our ediscovery search platform allows for more dynamic processing of the records once they are located. That said, the queue for such ediscovery searches is extensive and can cause a delay in our ability to respond to you. We utilize various tracks within our ediscovery queue in order to prioritize our searches. Outside of certain specific matters (such as requests that have become the subject of litigation), our search queues are prioritized based on the number of records custodians being searched, as that is a leading factor on how long the ediscovery search will take to be completed. Should you wish to remove officials from this list or narrow the date range of your request, you may do so. Again, you are not required to remove officials or narrow the date rang for the search, only if you choose to. Once I have your response we will assess the case and provide an estimate on when we expect the searching of the ODAG and OLP officials to be completed.

ODAG

- 1. Stacie Harris
- 2. Andrew D. Goldsmith
- 3. Adam Braverman
- 4. Jarad Hodes
- 5. Iris Lan
- 6. Bradley Weinsheimer
- 7. Michael Keilty
- 8. Mark S. Masling
- 9. Maya Suero
- 10. SeLena Y. Powell
- 11. Ted Hunt
- 12. James Crowell
- 13. Zachary Bolitho
- 14. Chad Mizelle
- 15. Ed O'Callaghan
- 16. Robert Hur

OLP

- 1. Kevin R. Jones
- 2. Michael Zubrensky
- 3. Robyn Thiemann

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4. Laurence Rothenberg

5. Matrina Matthews

6. Kira Antell

As I stated on the phone I do not have titles for the officials; however, if needed we can work to figure that out. Your patience is much appreciated as we continue to process this FOIA request.

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