EXHIBIT 16



Federal Bureau of Investigation Attn: FOI/PA Request Record/Information Dissemination Section 170 Marcel Drive Winchester, VA 22602-4843 Fax: (540) 868-4391/4997 Sent by U.S. Mail and fax

February 24, 2020

Dear FOIA Officer:

This is a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552. Please timely furnish to the Indiana Federal Community Defenders a complete copy of any and all records maintained by your agency pertaining to any and all attempted and/or completed escapes from MDC Los Angeles reported or discovered between January 1, 2001 and December 31, 2007.

By way of illustration only and not limitation, please furnish: files, transcripts, documents, notes, worksheets, applications, reviews, chain of custody forms, memoranda, reports, interviews, correspondence, pictures, drawings, tests, test results, and any and all information pertaining to the above-referenced incident(s).

If documents are denied in part or in whole, please specify the exemption(s) claimed for each partial or complete denial. If you excise any material, please "black out" the material rather than "white out" or "cut out."

This office also requests a fee waiver in light of the fact that it is a non-profit organization, and because the content of the records would be of public interest and contribute to understanding and oversight of security at MDC Los Angeles. If a fee waiver is not granted, please send an estimate prior to copying the materials. This office reserves all rights to appeal any denial of a fee waiver, as well as any redaction or decision not to release information.

Please send a memo (copying this office) to the appropriate units to ensure that no records related to this request are destroyed. Please advise of any destructions of records and include the date and authority of such destruction.

Please send your response to the Indiana Federal Community Defenders to the attention of Assistant Federal Defender Italia Patti, at the following address:

> Italia Patti, Assistant Federal Defender Indiana Federal Community Defenders 111 Monument Circle, Suite 3200 Indianapolis, IN 46204

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Italia Patti at 317.383.3520 or italia.patti@fd.org.

Sincerely,

Monica Foster, Executive Director

Indiana Federal Community Defenders