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Re: Appeal No. A-2022-01443
Request No. NFP-138182
CDT:AMF

VIA: Email - 7/1/2022

Dear C. Peter Sorenson:

You appealed on behalf of your client, Martin Julius Murray, from the action of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) on your client's Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for access to " [a]ll records showing, depicting or providing information on persons from Texas who attended anti-Vietnam War protests or demonstrations in the Washington, DC area including the Pentagon." I note that your appeal concerns the FBI's determination that this subject was not searchable in the FBI's indices.

After carefully considering your appeal, I am affirming the FBI's action on your client's request. A proper FOIA request for records must reasonably describe the records sought. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(3)(A); see also 28 C.F.R. § 16.3(b)(2021). The FBI informed your client that it was unable to search for such records in its indices as CRS is not arranged in a manner that allows for the retrieval of information in the form your client has requested. I have determined that the FBI's response was correct.

Please be advised that this Office's decision was made only after a full review of this matter. Your appeal was assigned to an attorney with this Office who thoroughly reviewed and analyzed your appeal, your client's underlying request, and the action of the FBI in response to your client's request.

If your client is dissatisfied with my action on your appeal, the FOIA permits your client to file a lawsuit in federal district court in accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B).

For your information, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) offers mediation services to resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies as a non-exclusive alternative to litigation. Using OGIS services does not affect your client's right to pursue litigation. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, Room 2510, 8601

Adelphi Road, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001; email at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. If you have any questions regarding the action this Office has taken on your appeal, you may contact this Office's FOIA Public Liaison for your appeal. Specifically, you may speak with the undersigned agency official by calling (202) 514-3642.

Sincerely,



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