

## Exhibit 2



**U.S. Department of Justice**  
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Via E-mail at [morgan@tahirih.org](mailto:morgan@tahirih.org)

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Re: FOIA 2020-60001 First Response

Dear Ms. Weibel:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated July 1, 2020 to the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) in which you seek the following:

1. Communications to/from EOIR personnel Director James McHenry, former Acting Deputy Director Sirce Owen, Acting Deputy Director Marlene Wahowiak, Chief of Staff Kate Sheehey, and Assistant Director Lisa Ward regarding the AIJ hiring process
2. Communications to/from EOIR personnel the General Counsel, the Chief of Employee Labor Relations and Director James McHenry regarding the AIJ hiring process
3. Communications to/from EOIR or JMD personnel Assistant Director Lisa Ward, Assistant Attorney General Lee Loftus, Deputy Assistant Attorney General Michael Allen

Your request requires clarification and is on hold. Please contact EOIR to clarify your request. If we do not hear from you within 30 calendar days of this notice, we will assume that you are no longer interested and your request will be administratively closed.

Sincerely,

**SHELLEY O'HARA** Digitally signed by SHELLEY  
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