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Dear Paul Galante:

This is to advise you that the Office of Information Policy of the U.S. Department of Justice received your administrative appeal from the action of the Federal Bureau of Investigation regarding Request No. 1575825 on 07/10/2023.

In an attempt to afford each appellant equal and impartial treatment, OIP has adopted a general practice of assigning appeals in the approximate order of receipt. Your appeal has been assigned number A-2023-01586. Please refer to this number in any future communication with OIP regarding this matter. Please note that if you provided an email address or another electronic means of communication with your request or appeal, this Office may respond to your appeal electronically even if you submitted your appeal to this Office via regular U.S. Mail.

We will notify you of the decision on your appeal as soon as we can. If you have any questions about the status of your appeal, you may contact me at (202) 514-3642. If you have submitted your appeal through Freedom of Information Act STAR, you may also check the status of your appeal by logging into your account.

Sincerely,  
*Priscilla Jones*

Priscilla Jones  
Supervisory Administrative Specialist