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Re: FOIA/PA #23-381

Dear: Mr. Sorenson:

This is to acknowledge your email dated May 9, 2023, for information pertaining to I. All emails to or from Matthew Olsen, Assistant Attorney General for National Security, former Director of the National Counterterrorism Center, since January 1, 2014, concerning the investigation or prosecution of any professors of a U.S. university regarding any of the following subjects:

- their possible ties or affiliation with China~
- their possible theft of U.S. technology or trade secrets for China;
- their possible acts of espionage for China;
- their possible failure to disclose their ties or affiliations with China; or
- their possible failure to disclose their income received from China.

2. All emails to or from John C. Demers, former Assistant Attorney General for National Security, concerning the investigation or prosecution of any professors of a U.S. university regarding any of the following subjects:

- their possible ties or affiliation with China ;
- their possible theft of U.S. technology or trade secrets for China;
- their possible acts of espionage for China;
- their possible failure to disclose their ties or affiliations with China; or
- their possible failure to disclose their income received from China.

3. All records, reports, training materials, policy directives, and emails to and from the Federal Bureau of Investigation concerning the investigation or prosecution of any professors of a U.S. university regarding any of the following subjects:

- their possible ties or affiliation with China;
- their possible theft of U.S. technology or trade secrets for China;
- their possible acts of espionage for China;
- their possible failure to disclose their ties or affiliations with China; or
- their possible failure to disclose their income received from China. Our FOIA office received your Freedom of Information Act request on May 18, 2023.

Our policy is to process FOIA requests on a first-in, first-out basis. Any searches conducted in response to your request will be limited to the records of the National Security Division. Consistent with this policy, every effort will be made to respond to your request as quickly as possible. The actual processing time will depend upon the complexity of the request, whether it involves sensitive or voluminous records, and whether consultations with other agencies or agency components are appropriate.

Please be advised that, your request has been assigned to a Government Information Specialist on the DOJ's National Security Division Records and FOIA staff and a further update regarding

your request will be provided to you as soon as practicable.

You may contact our Government Information Specialist, Arnetta Mallory, for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request at:

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Sincerely,  
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