

Exhibit 7



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta GA 30333
November 8, 2023

Aaron Siri
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Via email: foia@sirillp.com

Dear Mr. Siri:

This letter is our final response to your Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of March 3, 2023, assigned #23-00828-FOIA, seeking:

"[1001] All emails sent or received by Brooke Aspinwall and/or Carol Crawford, from February 1, 2020 through the date of the search, that include any of the following search terms: 'Meta', 'Facebook', 'Instagram', 'Google' or 'Twitter'."

The search criteria was later modified as follows in addition to elimination of attachments:

"All emails^[1] sent or received by Brooke Aspinwall and/or Carol Crawford, from February 1, 2020 through the date of the search, that include any of the following search terms: ('Meta', 'Facebook', 'Instagram', 'Google' or 'Twitter') AND (portal* or misinformation or disinformation or flag* or report* or post*)."

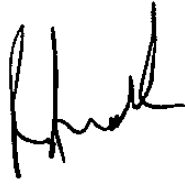
By email dated September 26, 2023, you advised your client is unwilling to further scope the request or provide context information to assist the agency to conduct a reasonable search for responsive records. As a result, we have administratively closed your request for the following reason:

X The agency has not received the additional information necessary to proceed with processing the request.

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison, Bruno Viana, at 770-488-6246 to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may file your appeal with the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, via the online portal at <https://requests.publiclink.hhs.gov/App/Index.aspx>. Your appeal must be electronically transmitted by February 6, 2024.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Andoh', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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