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Michael Bell
OST FOIA Officer
Office of the Secretary
Departmental FOIA Office
U.S. Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Ave. SE, W94-122
Washington, DC 20590

Re: FOIA Request

Dear Mr. Bell:

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 522 *et seq.* I request copies of the following records:

A copy of all complaints regarding airline ancillary fees submitted by individuals to the U.S. Department of Transportation ("DOT") from January 1, 2019-December 31, 2021.

Please redact all personally identifiable information from the above requested complaints before sending the results. If the Department believes all or part of the information requested cannot be released because the data is covered by a FOIA exemption, we ask that the Department explain why it believes the FOIA exemption applies.

To help determine my status to assess fees, you should know that I fall in the "commercial

use" category.

I request that DOT provide the records in electronic form.

I request a waiver of fees because the disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the DOT's rulemaking activity titled *Enhancing Transparency of Airline Ancillary Service Fees* (RIN 2105-AF10). However, if the DOT determines that a fee waiver is unavailable for this request, please notify us if the cost of this request will exceed \$750.00.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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