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REF: 17-HQ-F-00288

Dear Mr. Lipton:

Thank you for your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated and received January 19, 2017, at the NASA Headquarters FOIA Office. Your request was assigned FOIA Case Number 17-HQ-F-00288 and was for:

Any and all reports detailing the gravity tractor method of planetary defense

NASA processes all FOIA requests in a multi-track processing system, based upon the date of receipt and the amount of work and time involved in processing the request. In accordance with 14 CFR § 1206.400, your request has been placed in the simple queue and it will generally take up to 20 working days to process. Issues concerning processing, fees, fee status, clarification of request, etc., will be addressed in a separate letter once we begin processing your request.

If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact me at 202-358-2462 or [hq-foia@nasa.gov](mailto:hq-foia@nasa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Josephine Sibley".

Josephine Sibley  
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