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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

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Fees for processing this request are less than \$50.00 and are not being charged in accordance with 14 CFR § 1206.503(c). Therefore, we are administratively closing your file.

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, appearing to read "Josephine B. Bay".

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