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Jonathan R. Hickman
RE: FOIA Request #J-17-0019
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## Good morning -

I am writing to acknowledge your inquiry and advise that a request for expedited processing must be made at the time of the request being filed with DoD; however, your request would not qualify for expedited processing if the request had been made at the time of the request.

As a result, your request to now seek expedited processing is denied. If you are not satisfied with this response you have the right to appeal to Ms. Joo Chung, Director of Oversight and Compliance, Office of the Secretary of Defense at: ODCMO Directorate for Oversight and Compliance, 4800 Mark Center Drive, ATTN: DPCLTD, FOIA Appeals, Mailbox #24, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700. An appeal may also be made on-line through the OSD FOIA request portal at <a href="http://pal.whs.mil/palMain.aspx">http://pal.whs.mil/palMain.aspx</a>, or by e-mail to OSD.FOIA-APPEAL@mail.mil. If you use e-mail, please have the words "FOIA Appeal" in the subject of the email. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of this response and should include copies of your original request and this response, as well as a discussion of the reasons supporting your appeal.

For any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request, you have the right to contact the NGB FOIA Public Liaison Officer, Mr. Jim Hogan by email at osd.foialiaison@mail.mil or by phone at (571) 372-0462.

Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: NARA-OGIS, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, MD 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at (202) 741-5770; toll free at (877) 684-6448 or by facsimile at (202) 741-5769.

We will continue processing your request; however, if you do seek judicial relief we will administratively close your case at the time of notification of filing.

Vr Jennifer

Jennifer Nikolaisen, GS-14, CIPP/G Chief, Office of Information and Privacy

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Dear Ms. Nikolaisen,

Attached please find my correspondence dated February 27, 2017 regarding the above referenced FOIA request.

Jonathan R. Hickman, Esq.