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From: Blake, Wendy
To: Sylvia Lam

Cc: <u>Miller, Kevin; Walker, Denise</u>

**Subject:** RE: EPA-HQ-2017-010504 and EPA-HQ-2017-010603

**Date:** Monday, October 16, 2017 5:52:14 PM

Sylvia,

As of today, I am not in a position to propose a schedule with regard to the FOIAs referenced above. As I mentioned to you, we have had a substantial increase in FOIAs across the Agency, and that is particularly true in the Office of the Administrator. We are working diligently to address those FOIAs, but aren't in a position today to provide a specific schedule for release in regard to the above-noted FOIAs.

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**Sent:** Monday, October 16, 2017 9:49 AM **To:** Blake, Wendy <Blake.Wendy@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: EPA-HQ-2017-010504 and EPA-HQ-2017-010603

Thank you, Wendy. I hope you had a good weekend. I plan on giving you a call this afternoon to check in, but please let me know if you have anything to report by 4pm today.

Best, Sylvia

From: Blake, Wendy [mailto:Blake.Wendy@epa.gov]

**Sent:** Friday, October 13, 2017 2:37 PM

**To:** Sylvia Lam <<u>slam@environmentalintegrity.org</u>>

**Subject:** Re: EPA-HQ-2017-010504 and EPA-HQ-2017-010603

Sylvia,

Per our conversation, I don't have an update as of today. I hope to have something to report on Monday. I will touch base with you then, and thank you for reaching out to me.

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**From:** Sylvia Lam <<u>slam@environmentalintegrity.org</u>>

**Sent:** Friday, October 13, 2017 2:07 PM

**To:** Blake, Wendy

Subject: Re: EPA-HQ-2017-010504 and EPA-HQ-2017-010603

Hi Wendy, I have not heard from you so I wanted to check in to see whether you have any updates you can share on when EPA expects to respond and produce the records for these FOIA requests.

Thank you, Sylvia

From: Blake, Wendy < Blake. Wendy@epa.gov > Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2017 12:11:47 PM

**To:** Sylvia Lam

Cc: Eric Schaeffer; Miller, Kevin; Williams, LaShawn

**Subject:** RE: EPA-HQ-2017-010504 and EPA-HQ-2017-010603

Sylvia,

Thank you for reaching out. Let me do some research and get back to you. I am in meetings all day until 5:30, so it will likely not be today.

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Hi Wendy,

It was nice meeting you last week. I am emailing to check in on the status of two other outstanding FOIA requests submitted by EIP:

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- 1. EPA-HQ-2017-010504 submitted on August 14 for records of Administrator Pruitt's (i) schedule of meetings with outside parties from May 19 through August 14, and (ii) travel vouchers from June 13 through August 14; and
- 2. EPA-HQ-2017-010603 submitted on August 17 for records of travel vouchers for all travel outside of Washington, DC by any and all EPA staff accompanying Administrator Pruitt (i) from February 21 through June 4, and (ii) from June 13 through August 17.

Could you please provide a status update on when EPA will respond to and produce the requested records? As responses to both requests was due in mid-September, we plan to file a complaint by the end of the week if a reasonable date for response and production is not provided by the Agency.

Thanks, Sylvia

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