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VIA E-MAIL

U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement
Freedom of Information Office
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Washington, D.C. 20536-5009

Re: Freedom of Information Act Appeal No. 2018-ICAP-00426, ICE FOIA Case No. 2018-ICFO-25625

Dear Sir or Madam,

We write on behalf of the Kathryn O. Greenberg Immigration Justice Clinic at the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law (“Clinic”) and the Immigrant Defense Project (“IDP”) (collectively “Requestors”) in connection with the above referenced Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”) request (the “Request”).

The Request, dated March 5, 2018, seeks records related to courthouse arrests by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (“ICE”) personnel. On August 17, 2018, after receiving only two pages of records in response to the Request, Requestors appealed the adequacy of ICE’s search. On August 21, 2018, ICE acknowledged the appeal.

On September 19, 2018, ICE advised it had “determined that new search(s) or, modifications to the existing search(s), could be made” and was “remanding [Requestors’] appeal to the ICE FOIA Office for processing and re-tasking to the appropriate agency/office(s) to obtain any responsive documents.”

As the Request itself states, there remains “an urgent need to obtain the information sought in the [Request] which, at this point, is not publicly available.” Requestors thus seek ICE’s swift response. Please let us know promptly when we may expect the results of ICE’s new or modified searches, and do not hesitate to contact me with any questions at mschock@omm.com or at (202) 383-5379.

Sincerely,

/s/ Matt Schock

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