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From: Lauren Joyner(EDG)

Sent: Friday, October 11, 2019 10:58 AM **To:** EOIR.FOIARequests@usdoj.gov

Subject: Gerardo VASQUEZ NEGRETE FOIA - requests 2019-19550 and 2019-26020

Attachments: 2019-10-11 Vasquez, Gerardo FOIA correspondence .pdf

Attached please find correspondence submitted on behalf of my client, Gerardo Vasquez Negrete, regarding his FOIA requests filed with your office, 2019-19550 and 2019-26020.

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Via email to EOIR.FOIARequests@usdoj.gov

Gerardo VASQUEZ NEGRETE Re: FOIA requests 2019-19550 and 2019-26020

To Whom It May Concern:

My office represents Mr. Gerardo Vasquez Negrete. I write now on his behalf regarding the following FOIA requests submitted to your office on his behalf: 2019-19550 (submitted on February 15, 2019) and 2019-26020 (submitted on March 28, 2019, and incorrectly closed as a duplicate by your office on April 8, 2019).

By letter dated May 23, 2019, you indicated that you were producing "digital audio recordings of all immigration court proceedings." However, you only produced digital audio recordings of Mr. Vasquez's removal proceedings from 2017 and 2018. You have not produced, and we have not received the 2012 digital audio recordings of Mr. Vasquez's removal proceedings held in Dallas, Texas. That information was requested on February 15, 2019 (2019-19550).

Further, you have not produced, and we have not received the record of proceedings from Mr. Vasquez's 2012, 2017, or 2018 removal proceedings. The 2012 and 2017 records were requested on February 15, 2019 (2019-1550). The 2018 record was requested on March 28, 2019 (2019-26020).

We are in receipt of your correspondence dated October 1, 2019, but are unclear as to its meaning. As stated above, we believe that EOIR has not yet provided all responsive records to the above-referenced FOIA's.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lauren Joyner

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