



Pendley AEMA

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Tracking #	2020-00112
Submitted	Sept. 27, 2019
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STATUS

Awaiting Response

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From: Jimmy Tobias 09/27/2019

Subject: Freedom of Information Act Request: Pendley AEMA [Email](#)

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records:

Any written or electronic communications, including email attachments and text messages, between William Perry Pendley and any agent, official, lawyer, lobbyist or other individual representing the American Exploration & Mining Association.

This request seeks records produced since the first day Mr. Pendley took office this year.

I am a reporter for The Guardian.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Jimmy Tobias

From: Muckrock Staff 10/28/2019

From: Bureau of Land Management 10/29/2019

Subject: FOIA 2020-00112 [Email](#)

Good afternoon Mr. Tobias,

This letter acknowledges your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated and received in our office September 27, 2019. Your request has been logged in under control number 2020-00112. Please use this control number in all subsequent correspondence concerning your request.

In your letter you've requested the following:

"Any written or electronic communications, including email attachments and

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text messages, between William Perry Pendley and any agent, official, lawyer, lobbyist or other individual representing the American Exploration & Mining Association."

We have classified you as a representative of the news media. As such, we may charge you for some of our duplication costs, but we will not charge you for our search or review costs; you also are entitled to up to 100 pages of photocopies (or an equivalent volume) for free. See 43 C.F.R. § 2.39. If, after taking into consideration your fee category entitlements, our processing costs are less than \$50.00, we will not bill you because the cost of collection would be greater than the fee collected. See 43 C.F.R. § 2.49(a)(1). We do not anticipate any charges for the cost of processing this request.

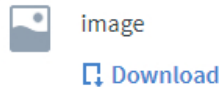
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Even though we normally process requests on a first-in, first-out basis, because of the nature of your request and the circumstances surrounding this request, we will prioritize and process your request as the records become available.

If you have any questions, please contact us at BLM_WO_FOIA@blm.gov or 202-912-7650. Thank you for your interest in public lands and in programs and activities of the BLM.

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From: Muckrock Staff 11/28/2019

Subject: RE: Freedom of Information Act Request #2020-00112 Email

To Whom It May Concern:

I wanted to follow up on the following Freedom of Information Act request, copied below, and originally submitted on Sept. 27, 2019. Please let me know when I can expect to receive a response. You had assigned it reference number #2020-00112.

Thanks for your help, and let me know if further clarification is needed.

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