

# **Exhibit I**



**U.S. Department of Justice**

Civil Division

Via E-mail

*Washington, DC 20530*

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Request No. 145-FOI-16500  
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Dear Ms. Arnpriester:

This is an interim response from the Civil Division, Department of Justice to your Freedom of Information Act request for records pertaining to denaturalization. This Office received your request December 21, 2018.

The Civil Division located four documents responsive to your request. By this letter, four documents are being released to you in full. We are continuing to process your request and will respond to you again once further determinations have been made. Additionally, please note the following mapping codes used by the Civil Division:

Judgment For Government During/After Trial  
Judgment For Opposition During/After Trial  
Dismissed on Pleadings - Government  
Dismissed on Pleadings - Opposition  
Voluntary Dismissal  
Dismissed by Court on Motion of US  
Summary Judgment - Government  
Post-Filing Settlement  
Settlement After Liability Conceded  
Excluded and Deported  
District Investigation Concluded  
Default Judgment - Government  
Consolidated  
Transferred to Agency  
Delegated to US Attorney  
Remanded to Agency  
Insufficient Service by Foreign Entity  
Data Base Integrity - Special Disposition/Closure  
Jurisdiction Denied

Judgment Appeal Dismissed  
Judgment Reversed and Remanded

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. See 5 U.S.C. 552(c). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 202-514-2319 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, Room 2510, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov); telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with my response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIAonline portal by creating an account on the following web site: <https://www.foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of this response. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Sincerely,



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