

Fwd: New FOIA request received for Select National Archives component for me

1 message

Susan Gillett <susan.gillett@nara.gov>
 To: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Dear Mr. Harrington:

We have received your request below for emails of OGIS Director Alina Semo. We assigned it an internal tracking number of **NGC20-330** in addition to a FOIAonline tracking number NARA-NGC-2020-000476. Please cite both tracking numbers in any future correspondence about this request.

However, there appears to be a typo in this request. In your records description, after referring to Ms. Semo's emails with various key words, you then mention Kirsten Mitchell's emails with 3 named FDA or HHS employees. Did you mean to insert Ms. Semo's name here and not Ms. Mitchell? You have already requested Ms. Mitchell's emails with these people as part of request **NGC20-328**.

Please clarify if this is indeed a typo, by sending a clarification to foia@nara.gov for request **NGC20-330**. You don't need to resubmit the request, just clarify if Mitchell should be Semo. Once we have your clarification we can request a search.

Thank you.
 Sincerely,

Susan Gillett
 Government Information Specialist
 Office of General Counsel
 National Archives and Records Administration
 College Park, MD 20740-6001
 301-837-3409
susan.gillett@nara.gov



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From: 'National FOIA Portal' via FOIA <FOIA@nara.gov>
 Date: Tue, Mar 24, 2020 at 12:10 PM
 Subject: New FOIA request received for Select National Archives component for me
 To: <FOIA@nara.gov>

Hello,

A new FOIA request was submitted to your agency component:

The following list contains the entire submission submitted March 24, 2020 12:10:04pm ET, and is formatted for ease of viewing and printing.

Contact information

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Last name Harrington
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Request

Request ID 116566
Confirmation ID 116041

Request description I am requesting the email records for date range (November 28, 2019- March 24, 2020) for OGIS employee, Alina Semo, who is the Director, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words: kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee KIRSTEN MITCHEL has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov)

Supporting documentation**Fees**

Request category ID media
Fee waiver no
Willing to pay 25

Expedited processing

Expedited Processing no

The following table contains the entire submission, and is formatted for ease of copy/pasting into a spreadsheet.

request_id	confirmation_id	address_city	address_country	address_line1	address_line2	address_state_province	address_zip_postal_code	company_organization	email	expedited_processing	fee_amount_willing	fee_waiver	name_first	name_last	photo
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Your FOIA Request NGC20-330 re OGIS emails

2 messages

Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>
To: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:45 AM

Dear Mr. Harrington,

This is a follow up to my email to you on March 27, 2020 seeking clarification of the records you are requesting. To date, we have not received a reply. Some additional questions have arisen since that date, and I am including those in this email as well.

In your request NGC20-330 you stated:

I am requesting the email records for date range (November 28, 2019-March 24, 2020) for OGIS employee, Alina Semo, who is the Director, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words; kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee KIRSTEN MITCHEL has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov).

The second part of your request starting with the word "Additionally" is the part for which we need clarification. Here are our questions:

1. Does the same date range of November 28, 2019 through March 24, 2020 apply to your request for emails with the three named email addresses?
2. Did you mean Alina Semo and not Kirsten Mitchell? [You have already requested Kirsten Mitchell's emails for the same date range in another FOIA request.]
3. If you are looking for emails between Alina Semo and the three named email addresses, are you looking only for emails that relate to yourself?

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Susan Gillett
Government Information Specialist
Office of General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
foia@nara.gov

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:53 AM

Ms. Gillet,

I am including further information for you below. Please note that I did send you an email today asking for further clarification as well on long standing FOIA requests that I'm still waiting to get records on.

To address your questions for NGC20-330:

1. yes, the same date range of November 28, 2019 through March 24, 2020 does apply to my request for emails
2. I did mean Kirsten Mitchell. Thank you for helping clarify this matter and I look forward to getting that updated.
3. No, I am looking to receive the emails between Alina Semo and the three named individuals beyond what only relates to myself, specific to that time frame of November 28, 2019 through March 24, 2020. Please let me know if this is an issue for you.

For my request, NGC20-330, what number in the queue is this request? Also, how long should I expect to wait before I receive these records?

Kind regards,

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

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Re: Your FOIA Request NGC20-330 re OGIS emails

1 message

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>
Bcc: eun@loevy.com

Wed, Jun 24, 2020 at 6:20 PM

Ms. Gillet,

Please note that for NGC20-330, you had asked a question "2. Did you mean Alina Semo and not Kirsten Mitchell? [You have already requested Kirsten Mitchell's emails for the same date range in another FOIA request.]"

You had sent several emails that day and it appears I got this one wrong. I provided you a wrong answer for this specific FOIA request when I stated "2. I did mean Kirsten Mitchell."

The correct answer for this is *yes, I did mean Alina Semo. Thank you for helping clarify this matter and I look forward to getting that updated.*

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this clarification. Thank you so much for helping me correct this matter.

Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

On Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:53 AM Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com> wrote:

Ms. Gillet,

I am including further information for you below. Please note that I did send you an email today asking for further clarification as well on long standing FOIA requests that I'm still waiting to get records on.

To address your questions for NGC20-330:

1. yes, the same date range of November 28, 2019 through March 24, 2020 does apply to my request for emails
2. I did mean Kirsten Mitchell. Thank you for helping clarify this matter and I look forward to getting that updated.
3. No, I am looking to receive the emails between Alina Semo and the three named individuals beyond what only relates to myself, specific to that time frame of November 28, 2019 through March 24, 2020. Please let me know if this is an issue for you.

For my request, NGC20-330, what number in the queue is this request? Also, how long should I expect to wait before I receive these records?

Kind regards,

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

On Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:46 AM Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov> wrote:

Dear Mr. Harrington,

This is a follow up to my email to you on March 27, 2020 seeking clarification of the records you are requesting. To date, we have not received a reply. Some additional questions have arisen since that date, and I am including those in this email as well.

In your request NGC20-330 you stated:

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3. If you are looking for emails between Alina Semo and the three named email addresses, are you looking only for emails that relate to yourself?

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Susan Gillett
Government Information Specialist
Office of General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
foia@nara.gov



Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Your FOIA Request NGC20-330 re OGIS emails

Susan Gillett <susan.gillett@nara.gov>
To: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Thu, Jun 25, 2020 at 12:28 PM

Hello Mr. Harrington,

I received your clarification for NGC20-330 that you sent by email on June 24, 2020 and I have added it to the case file.

The FOIAonline tracking number for this case is NARA-NGC-2020-000476.

Sincerely,

Susan Gillett
Government Information Specialist
Office of General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
College Park, MD 20740-6001
susan.gillett@nara.gov



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record request

2 messages

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: specialaccess_foia@nara.gov
Bcc: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Fri, Apr 3, 2020 at 7:51 AM

I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Sheela Portonovo, who is the Attorney Advisor, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Sheela Portonovo has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov)

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

Special Access and FOIA e-mail <specialaccess_foia+noreply@nara.gov>
To: kohl@harringtonfilms.com

Fri, Apr 3, 2020 at 7:52 AM

This is an automated reply to inform you that the National Archives and Records Administration received your e-mail.

We have received your request and will respond within 20 working days. Please note that submitting duplicate requests will increase wait times.

If you have any questions, you can call our office at 301-837-3190. You can also visit our web page at www.archives.gov/research/foia.

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Thank you.



FOIA Request NARA-NGC-2020-000510 Submitted

1 message

admin@foiaonline.gov <admin@foiaonline.gov>
To: kohl@harringtonfilms.com

Wed, Apr 8, 2020 at 7:56 AM

This message is to confirm your request submission to the FOIAonline application: [View Request](#). Request information is as follows:

- Tracking Number: NARA-NGC-2020-000510
- Requester Name: Mr. Kohl Harrington
- Date Submitted: 04/03/2020
- Request Status: Submitted
- Description: I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Sheela Portonovo, who is the Attorney Advisor, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Sheela Portonovo has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov)



Your FOIA Request NGC20-351 re OGIS emails of Sheela Portonovo

2 messages

Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>
To: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:57 AM

Dear Mr. Harrington,

We need some clarification of your records request in this case. In your request you stated:

I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Sheela Portonovo, who is the Attorney Advisor, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Sheela Portonovo has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov).

The second part of your request starting with the word "Additionally" is the part for which we need clarification. Here are our questions:

1. Does the same date range of August 1, 2019 through November 27, 2019 apply to your request for emails with the three named email addresses?
2. For emails between Sheela Portonovo and the three named email addresses, are you looking only for emails that relate to yourself?

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Susan Gillett
Government Information Specialist
Office of General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
foia@nara.gov

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:01 AM

Ms. Gillet,

For my request NGC20-351

1. yes
2. no

Kind regards,

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

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request

2 messages

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: foia@nara.gov, specialaccess_foia@nara.gov
Bcc: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Fri, Apr 3, 2020 at 8:40 AM

I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Carrie McGuire, who is the Mediation Team Lead, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Carrie McGuire has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov)

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

Special Access and FOIA e-mail <specialaccess_foia+noreply@nara.gov>
To: kohl@harringtonfilms.com

Fri, Apr 3, 2020 at 8:40 AM

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Thank you.



FOIA Request NARA-NGC-2020-000511 Submitted

1 message

admin@foiaonline.gov <admin@foiaonline.gov>
To: kohl@harringtonfilms.com

Wed, Apr 8, 2020 at 8:19 AM

This message is to confirm your request submission to the FOIAonline application: [View Request](#). Request information is as follows:

- Tracking Number: NARA-NGC-2020-000511
- Requester Name: Mr. Kohl Harrington
- Date Submitted: 04/03/2020
- Request Status: Submitted
- Description: I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Carrie McGuire, who is the Mediation Team Lead, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Carrie McGuire has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov)



Your FOIA Request NGC20-352 re OGIS emails of Carrie McGuire

2 messages

Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>
To: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:09 AM

Dear Mr. Harrington,

We need some clarification of your records request in this case. In your request you stated:

I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Carrie McGuire, who is the Mediation Team Lead, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Carrie McGuire has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov).

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Sincerely,

Susan Gillett
Government Information Specialist
Office of General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
foia@nara.gov

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: Susan Gillett <foia@nara.gov>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:14 AM

Ms. Gillett,

This is the same as the others. So for this request NGC20-352:

1. yes
2. no

Also, please give me an expectation for when I can expect to receive records for this request NGC20-352.

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

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request

2 messages

Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>
To: foia@nara.gov
Cc: specialaccess_foia@nara.gov
Bcc: Kohl Harrington <kohl@harringtonfilms.com>

Tue, Apr 7, 2020 at 3:47 PM

I am requesting the email records date range (August 01, 2019 through November 27, 2019) for OGIS employee, Dwaine Bacon, who is the Mediation Team Management and Program Analyst, Office of Government Information Services, and the email records I'm requesting are for key words kohl harrington, sarah kotler, Kim Hutchinson, Michael Marquis. Additionally, I am requesting all emails OGIS employee Dwaine Bacon has exchanged with FDA FOIA employee sarah kotler (Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov), kim hutchinson (Kim.Hutchinson@hhs.gov), and Michael Marquis (Michael.marquis@hhs.gov)

-Kohl Harrington
Harrington Films
323-237-9958

Special Access and FOIA e-mail <specialaccess_foia+noreply@nara.gov>
To: kohl@harringtonfilms.com

Tue, Apr 7, 2020 at 3:47 PM

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