

EXHIBIT 3

From: FOIA Officer (FHWA) <FOIA.Officer@dot.gov>
Sent: Thursday, January 16, 2020 6:13 PM
To: Stern, Bezalel
Cc: FOIA Officer (FHWA)
Subject: FHWA FOIA 2020-0096
Attachments: 2020-0096 Stern Acknowledgement Letter.pdf

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Dear Mr. Stern:

Attached is the Federal Highway Administration's acknowledgement of your Freedom of Information Act request. It has been assigned control number 2020-0096.

Thank you,

Kimberly Stillson
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**Federal Highway
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Bezalel Stern
Kelley, Drye, and Warren LLP
3050 K Street, NW
Washington Harbour Suite 400
Washington, DC - 20007

Dear Mr. Stern:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has received your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated 1/13/2020 for which you seek records relating to:

- 1) All documents and things reviewed, referenced, or otherwise relied upon by the Department of Transportation (DOT) in the conception, consideration, formulation, solicitation and award by the FHWA of the research contract entitled, "Use of Steel and Iron Materials in Highway Construction" to the entity formerly operating as "Parsons Brinkerhoff" and currently operating as WSP (DUNS NO. 056668700) Award ID/Task No. 693JJ319F000055, signed January 23, 2019.
- 2) All documents and things reviewed, referenced, or otherwise relied upon by the formerly operating as "Parsons Brinkerhoff" and currently operating as WSP (DUNS NO. 056668700) in the performance of Award ID/Task No. 693JJ319F000055, signed January 23, 2019.
- 3) Full and complete copies of any and all interim reports delivered to the DOT pursuant to the terms of Award ID/Task No. 693JJ319F000055.
- 4) Full and complete copies of any and all final reports delivered to the DOT pursuant to the terms of the Award ID/Task No. 693JJ319F000055.

Your request was received by our office on 1/13/2020 and has been assigned FOIA Control Number 2020-0096.

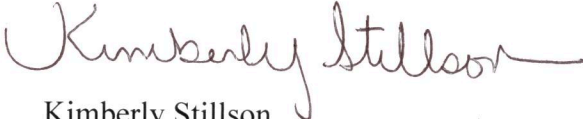
After reviewing your request, we have determined that any responsive records, if they exist, would likely reside in the FHWA Office of Acquisition Policy and Oversight (HCFA). Your request has been forwarded to this office for action, and you will receive a response from FHWA

Office of Acquisition Policy and Oversight (HCFA) directly. The point of contact in Acquisitions Policy and Oversight is Brendon Ricketts and he can be reached at (202) 366-9075.

Pursuant to 49 CFR part 7, the FHWA may be required to charge fees for processing your FOIA request. These fees may cover search, review, and duplication costs. Please do not send any payment at this time. The FHWA will notify you if your request requires payment of fees. Multiple FOIA requests for clearly related matters may be aggregated for purposes of assessing fees. Your request may be narrowed in scope to reduce the total amount of fees. Your request will be processed after you agree to pay any fee assessed by the FHWA. The FHWA may require payment of fees before the release of requested documents. Failure to pay fees may result in the agency closing your request without further action.

If you have any questions with regard to this letter, please feel free to contact me at (202) 366-8078.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kimberly Stillson". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Kimberly Stillson
FHWA FOIA Officer

Cc: FHWA Office of Acquisition Policy and Oversight (HCFA)