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## DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20340-5100



SEP 06 2017

U-17-5776/FAC-2A1 (FOIA)

Mr. John Greenewald



Dear Mr. Greenewald:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated March 24, 2016, that you submitted to the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) for a copy of our FOIA Appeal Logs for calendar years 2014 and 2015. I apologize for the delay in responding to your request. DIA continues its efforts to eliminate the large backlog of pending FOIA requests.

A search of DIA's systems of records located two documents (5 pages) responsive to your request.

Upon review, I have determined that some portions of the documents (5 pages) must be withheld in part from disclosure pursuant to the FOIA. The withheld portions are exempt from release pursuant to Exemption 6 of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(6). Exemption 6 applies to information which if released would constitute an unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of other individuals.

If you are not satisfied with my response to your request, you may contact the DIA FOIA Requester Service Center, as well as our FOIA Public Liaison at 301-394-5587.

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. You may contact OGIS by email 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; or you may mail them at the following address:

Office of Government Information Services  
National Archives and Records Administration  
8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS  
College Park, MD 20740-6001

You may also exercise your right to file an administrative appeal by writing to the address below and referring to case number 0217-2016. Your appeal must be postmarked no later than 90 days after the date of this letter.

Defense Intelligence Agency  
7400 Pentagon  
ATTN: FAC-2A1 (FOIA)  
Washington, D.C. 20301-7400

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alesia Y. Williams for". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

2 Enclosures

Alesia Y. Williams  
Chief, FOIA and Declassification Services Office

### FOIA APPEAL LOG

1 January - 31 December 2014

Request ID	Requester Name	Request Description	Request Type	Received Date
<u>APP-00001-2015</u>	Strother, Roger	By letter of February 13, 2007, the DIA informed office that it could find no documents responsive to this request. Office appealed the DIA's initial denial on April 2, 2007, and by letter of July 30, 2014, the DIA informed us that it had located one document responsive to this request, which was withheld in full pursuant to FOIA exemptions b(1) and b(3).	Appeal	10/1/2014
<u>APP-00002-2015</u>	Schechter, Ronald	Filing an appeal for 0406-2012, regarding any and all records relating to or reflecting the U.S. Government's decision or actions regarding the transfer, release, repatriation, or prosecution (by either military commission or in an United State District Court) of Fayiz Al Kandari.	Appeal	10/1/2014
<u>APP-00003-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Appealing DIA's decision to withhold from release some portions of 12 documents (148 pages) responsive to the FOIA request dated June 22, 2009.	Appeal	10/15/2014
<u>APP-00004-2015</u>	Battle, Joyce	Appeal for withheld information (withheld to prevent damage to national security, the Arab-Israeli conflict is a central issue for U.S. policy in the Middle East, and disclosure of relevant documents would be in the public interest.	Appeal	10/16/2014
<u>APP-00005-2015</u>	THEM, HA	Appealing withheld information, requesting to know what led to the naval battle on 01/19/1974, including the name of the participating ships and the name/titles of the commanders.	Appeal	10/21/2014
<u>APP-00006-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Appealing withheld information.	Appeal	10/21/2014
<u>APP-00007-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal for withheld information in some portions of two documents (10 pages) and all portions of 26 documents (136 pages).	Appeal	11/3/2014
<u>APP-00008-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal for all portions withheld in two documents (14 pages) and some portions of two documents (8 pages).	Appeal	11/3/2014
<u>APP-00009-2015</u>	Doyle, Kate	Administrative appeal of no records. Expanding request to include that "The Comalapa base may be described as a "detachment", "destacamento", "army post", "base," or "temporary base."	Appeal	11/3/2014
<u>APP-00010-2015</u>	Doyle, Kate	Administratively appealing for re-search for request to expand and include "The bases may be described as a "detachment," "destacamento," "army post," "base," or "temporary base."	Appeal	11/3/2014
<u>APP-00011-2015</u>	Manuchehri, Mina	Administrative appeal for withheld information for all substantive portions of five documents withheld in full.	Appeal	11/5/2014

<u>APP-00012-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal of withheld information in some portions of one page responsive to the FOIA request to the Department of State.	Appeal	11/10/2014
<u>APP-00013-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal from withheld information from some portions of 26 documents (161 pages) and all portions of 10 documents (63 pages).	Appeal	11/13/2014
<u>APP-00014-2015</u>	Franzblau, Jesse	Administrative appeal for withheld information.	Appeal	11/25/2014
<u>APP-00014-2017</u>	Greenewald, John	Appealing the denial of information.	Appeal	3/13/2017
<u>APP-00015-2015</u>	Crierle, Ryan	Appealing redacted information.	Appeal	12/1/2014
<u>APP-00018-2014</u>	Gibson, William	Denying withheld of information. Case PA 695-2012.	Appeal	1/6/2014
<u>APP-00020-2014</u>	Shapiro, Ryan	Appealing the expedited processing being denied.	Appeal	1/14/2014
<u>APP-00022-2014</u>	BATTLE, Joyce	Appealing the denial if information in case 432-2011.	Appeal	1/15/2014
<u>APP-00023-2014</u>	BATTLE, Joyce..	Appealing the denial of information.	Appeal	1/16/2014
<u>APP-00024-2014</u>	EVANS, Michael	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	1/16/2014
<u>APP-00025-2014</u>	EVANS, Michael	Appealing the denial of information.	Appeal	1/17/2014
<u>APP-00025-2016</u>	Gillison, Douglas	A. FOIA was enacted to ensure citizens' right to know "what their government is up to." B. The reasons provided for DIA's determination are insufficiently detailed. C. The responsive document is not exempt from disclosure under Exemption 1,3, or 6. D. DIA must segregate and produce any nonexempt portions of the responsive document. By withholding the entirety of the document without a valid basis under Exemptions 1,3, and 6, DIA has violated its statutory duty under FOIA.	Appeal	9/15/2016
<u>APP-00026-2014</u>	Hotchkiss, Gerald	Appealing our NR response, from case 0174-2014.	Appeal	1/28/2014
<u>APP-00027-2014</u>	Evans, Michael	Appealing the denial of information in case 156-2009.	Appeal	2/3/2014
<u>APP-00028-2014</u>	Evans, Michael	Appealing case 388-2009, denial of information.	Appeal	2/3/2014
<u>APP-00029-2014</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	2/10/2014
<u>APP-00030-2014</u>	Barahona, Renato	Appealing the search and withheld documents.	Appeal	2/12/2014
<u>APP-00031-2014</u>	Willard, Emily	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	3/10/2014
<u>APP-00032-2014</u>	Shapiro, Ryan	appealing admin closures.	Appeal	3/10/2014
<u>APP-00033-2014</u>	Shapiro, Ryan	appealing admin closure.	Appeal	3/10/2014
<u>APP-00034-2014</u>	Richelson, Jeffrey	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	3/12/2014
<u>APP-00035-2014</u>	Curry, Mary	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	3/19/2014
<u>APP-00036-2014</u>	Willard, Emily	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	3/21/2014
<u>APP-00037-2014</u>	Richelson, Jeffrey	Appealing withheld of information.	Appeal	4/7/2014
<u>APP-00038-2014</u>	Schwartz, Mattathias	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	4/10/2014
<u>APP-00039-2014</u>	Curry, Mary	Appealing our no records findings.	Appeal	4/21/2014
<u>APP-00041-2014</u>	James, Wanda	Appealing withheld of documents.	Appeal	4/22/2014
<u>APP-00043-2014</u>	Gordon, Daniel	Requesting correct information on contractors receiving task orders for the bid of KPMG, LLP.	Appeal	5/20/2014

<u>APP-00045-2014</u>	Rempe, Dennis	Requesting appeal for disclosure of information.	Appeal	6/6/2014
<u>APP-00046-2014</u>	BURR, William	Requesting an appeal of withheld of information.	Appeal	6/11/2014
<u>APP-00047-2014</u>	Messineo, Carl	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	6/19/2014
<u>APP-00048-2014</u>	BATTLE, Joyce	Appealing the denial of information. Withheld information.	Appeal	6/25/2014
<u>APP-00049-2014</u>	Akers-Healy, Heather	Requesting search for additional responsive documents.	Appeal	6/25/2014
<u>APP-00050-2014</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	7/3/2014
<u>APP-00051-2014</u>	Elias, Barbara	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	7/8/2014
<u>APP-00052-2014</u>	Elias, Barbara	Appealing the withheld of information.	Appeal	7/9/2014
<u>APP-00053-2014</u>	Clarke, John	Appealing the expedited processing.	Appeal	7/15/2014
<u>APP-00054-2014</u>	Schiff, Hannah	Appealing the denial of information.	Appeal	7/28/2014
<u>APP-00055-2014</u>	Willard, Emily	Appealing withheld information classification is outweighed by public interest.	Appeal	8/4/2014
<u>APP-00056-2014</u>	Martinez, Emeline	Appealing withheld information classification.	Appeal	8/4/2014
<u>APP-00057-2014</u>	Martinez, Emeline	Appealing withheld information.	Appeal	8/6/2014
<u>APP-00058-2014</u>	Gillison, Douglas	Appealing 0260-2014 case due to an inadequate search, requesting that case be remanded for broader search outside "systems of records".	Appeal	9/5/2014
<u>APP-00059-2014</u>	Burr, William	Filed an appeal with NARA on 08/13/14 for document ID #31094588 which was withheld in full by DIA under (b)(1) and (b)(3).	Appeal	9/11/2014

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<u>APP-00001-2016</u>	Gilbertsen, Ralph	Appealing the search of the 4-hour video "Highway to Heroin," narrated by Col. James "Bo" Gritz, USA Rtd., filmed in Laos and Burma sometime in the 1980's, and includes an interview with Gen. Ku Sah, opium war lord in Burma.	Appeal	10/14/2015
<u>APP-00002-2016</u>	BURR, William	Administrative appeal for further declassification review of the three exempted documents, concerning air defense and anti-ballistic missile systems.	Appeal	11/2/2015
<u>APP-00003-2016</u>	Battle, Joyce	Administrative appeal for withheld portions of document.	Appeal	11/25/2015
<u>APP-00004-2016</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	12/1/2015
<u>APP-00005-2016</u>	Sloan, Sarah	Administratively appealing DIA's withholding of 10 documents, the deletions and withholdings based on the referrals out to other government agencies, and, sufficiency and scope of the search conducted.	Appeal	12/2/2015
<u>APP-00006-2016</u>	Richter, Michael	Administrative appeal of final response; does not satisfy requested information.	Appeal	12/21/2015
<u>APP-00007-2016</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	1/14/2016
<u>APP-00008-2016</u>			Appeal	1/11/2016
<u>APP-00016-2015</u>	Jones, Nate	Appeal of Agency FOIA Denial (Archive # 20140075DIA002/0212-2014).	Appeal	1/30/2015
<u>APP-00017-2015</u>	Doyle, Kate	Appeal case # 0428-2014, request another review of all documents referred to the DIA, and release all reasonably segregable information.	Appeal	1/30/2015
<u>APP-00018-2015</u>	Meselson, Matthew	Administratively appealing the adequacy of the agency's search. (b)(6)	Appeal	2/4/2015
<u>APP-00019-2015</u>	Willard, Emily	Administratively appealing the withheld information.	Appeal	2/6/2015
<u>APP-00020-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	2/19/2015

<u>APP-00021-2015</u>	Stocker, James	Requesting an appeal based on the decision that was made (section b(3) may not be applicable (per the requester)).	Appeal	2/18/2015
<u>APP-00022-2015</u>	Gellman, Barton	Appealing the denial of expedited processing. Request contains additional information to establish "compelling need".	Appeal	2/27/2015
<u>APP-00023-2015</u>	DOYLE, kate	Appeal response on subject of Mexican Government and Military description.	Appeal	3/27/2015
<u>APP-00024-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	4/7/2015
<u>APP-00025-2015</u>	EVANS, Michael	Administrative appeal to withhold documents.	Appeal	4/10/2015
<u>APP-00026-2015</u>	LaSusa, Mike	Writing to appeal the determination for denying application for expedited processing of request 0357-2015.	Appeal	6/9/2015
<u>APP-00027-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	6/15/2015
<u>APP-00028-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal of two documents that were withheld in full from release.	Appeal	6/17/2015
<u>APP-00029-2015</u>	Franzblau, Jesse	Administrative appeal for withheld information.	Appeal	6/25/2015
<u>APP-00030-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	7/6/2015
<u>APP-00031-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal for withheld documents.	Appeal	7/7/2015
<u>APP-00032-2015</u>	Segraves, Jonathan	Appealing adequacy of search, DIA only addressed a portion of the documents requested in initial request.	Appeal	7/13/2015
<u>APP-00033-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	7/14/2015
<u>APP-00034-2015</u>	Baker, Walter	Administrative appeal of no records final response.	Appeal	7/27/2015
<u>APP-00035-2015</u>	Satterthwaite, Margaret	Appealing Search and Withholdings concerning records on Muhammad Faraj Ahmed Bashmilah.	Appeal	8/19/2015
<u>APP-00036-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	8/31/2015
<u>APP-00037-2015</u>	RICHELSON, JEFFREY	Appeal of withheld document, requesting review.	Appeal	9/11/2015
<u>APP-00038-2015</u>	Evans, Michael	Administrative appeal for withheld documents.	Appeal	9/15/2015
<u>APP-00039-2015</u>	(b)(6)		Appeal	9/22/2015