Central Intelligence Agency



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Ms. Barbara Olshansky Center for Constitutional Rights 666 Broadway, 7th Floor New York, NY 10012

Reference: F-2005-00498

Dear Ms. Olshansky:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated 21 December 2004, in which you requested certain documents pertaining to "unregistered, CIA and/or 'ghost' detainees." We will begin processing your request in accordance with the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552, as amended, and the CIA Information Act, 50 U.S.C. § 431, as amended. If documents exist, to the extent your latest request covers any material requested in your previous requests for information pertaining to detainees (F-2004-01456 and F-2004-00066), it will be treated as a duplicate request and not processed. We assigned your request the number referenced above. Please refer to this number in future correspondence about this request.

I reviewed your request for a fee waiver, in accordance with the CIA's FOIA regulations, published in part 1900.13(b) of the Code of Federal Regulations. I have denied your request for a fee waiver because your request does not meet the standards for a fee waiver specified in the Agency's regulations. You have the right to appeal this determination to the Agency Release Panel. If you wish to do so, please submit your appeal to the Agency Release Panel, in my care, within 45 days of the date of this letter.

Based upon the information provided in your letter and the requirements of Agency regulations, I have determined that your request falls into the "all other" fee category, which means that you will be responsible for search costs, beyond the first two hours of search time, and reproduction costs, beyond the first 100 pages. In accordance with Agency regulations, copying costs will be assessed at the rate of ten cents per page.

I reviewed your request for expedited processing, in accordance with Agency regulations. Your request does not meet the standards for expedited processing specified in Agency regulations and therefore is denied. The Agency will process your request in accordance with its standard procedures.

Sincerely,

Scott Koch

Information and Privacy Coordinator