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Subject: REPORTS, INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD

FOIPA No. 1110883-000

Dear Ms. Hofmann:

The enclosed documents were reviewed under the Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA), Title 5, United States Code, Section 552/552a. Deletions have been made to protect information which is exempt from disclosure, with the appropriate exemptions noted on the page next to the excision. In addition, a deleted page information sheet was inserted in the file to indicate where pages were withheld entirely. The exemptions used to withhold information are marked below and explained on the enclosed Form OPCA-16a:

Section 552		Section 552a
⊠(b)(1)	□(b)(7)(A)	□(d)(5)
⊠(b)(2)	□(b)(7)(B)	□(j)(2)
□(b)(3)	⊠(b)(7)(C)	□(k)(1)
	⊠(b)(7)(D)	□(k)(2)
	⊠(b)(7)(E)	□(k)(3)
	□(b)(7)(F)	□(k)(4)
⊠(b)(4)	□(b)(8)	□(k)(5)
⊠(b)(5)	□(b)(9)	□(k)(6)
⊠(b)(6)		□(k)(7)

1030 page(s) were reviewed and 467 page(s) are being released.

- Document(s) were located which originated with, or contained information concerning other Government agency(ies) [OGA]. This information has been:
 - referred to the OGA for review and direct response to you.
 - □ referred to the OGA for consultation. The FBI will correspond with you regarding this information when the consultation is finished.

☑ You have the right to appeal any denials in this release. Appeals should be directed in writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy, U.S. Department of Justice,1425 New York Ave., NW, Suite 11050, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001. Your appeal must be received by OIP within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. The envelope and the letter should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Number assigned to your request so that it may be easily identified.

☐ The enclosed material is from the main investigative file(s) in which the subject(s) of your request was the focus of the investigation. Our search located additional references, in files relating to other

individuals, or matters, which may or may not be about your subject(s). Our experience has shown, when ident, references usually contain information similar to the information processed in the main file(s). Because of our significant backlog, we have given priority to processing only the main investigative file(s). If you want the references, you must submit a separate request for them in writing, and they will be reviewed at a later date, as time and resources permit.

⊠ See additional information which follows.

Sincerely yours,

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David M. Hardy Section Chief Record/Information Dissemination Section Records Management Division

Enclosure(s)

In reference to your July 2, 2009 letter, in which you requested a fee waiver for the above-referenced Freedom of Information / Privacy Acts (FOIPA) requests, requests for fee waivers are determined on a case-by-case basis. See 5 U.S.C. 552 (a)(4)(A)(iii). Your request was considered in accordance with Title 28, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 16.11(k) and it is agreeable with the reasons you have provided as to why you qualify in this instance for a fee waiver. Therefore, your request for a fee waiver is granted.

Per the stipulation entered on December 17, 2009, the FBI was only obligated to process **1,600** pages for the first release for this request, dated August 13, 2010, in which **1,860** additional pages were released. This constitutes the final release for this request. As of this date, all responsive documents have been processed.