



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

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Ms. Kimberly Wilson
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Re: Freedom of Information Act request regarding EPA Draft Report on the Environment.

Dear Ms Wilson:

This is our final response to your July 1, 2003 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request received by the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) on July 1, 2003 (fax). You requested records regarding all CEQ communications pertaining to the climate change section of the EPA's "Draft Report on the Environment" to include:

1. Copies of all correspondence, letters, memos, cables, meeting and teleconference agenda, minutes, notes, transcripts, or tape recordings and phone logs regarding all communications to and from CEQ concerning the climate change section of the EPA's "Draft Report on the Environment".
2. Copies of all records in the files of CEQ which have been obtained from other Federal agencies or contain information obtained from other Federal agencies concerning the climate change section of the EPA's "Draft Report on the Environment".

CEQ has completed its search for documents responsive to your request and is releasing twenty-two (22) documents in their entirety, totaling eighty-two (82) pages. We are also releasing four (4) documents, totaling ten (10) pages, with redactions covering material that is not responsive and material exempt from disclosure pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6). In addition, we are withholding fifty-four (54) documents, totaling four hundred twenty-four (424) pages, that is privileged under 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5). Your request for a waiver of fees has been granted.

This completes our response to your FOIA request. If you are dissatisfied with my action on this request you may appeal it by writing to the CEQ FOIA Appeals Officer, 722 Jackson Place, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20503, within 45 days of the date of this letter. We thank you for your cooperation throughout this process.

Sincerely,

Dinah Bear
General Counsel
Freedom of Information Officer