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From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Monday, June 30, 2008 5:23 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

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Record Description:

Please provide all clearly releasable copy of any (Contract awarded from solicitation # DERP0106EE11026) including statement of work. This is related to TECHNICAL ENGINEERING ANALYTICAL AND MANAGEMENT SUPPORT SERVICES program.

The CO Benjamin Lardizabal can be reached at (202) 287-1479 or benjamin.lardizabal@hq.doe.gov.

Preferred Form or Format: Electronic Format

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 75.00

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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June 17, 2008

FOIA Officer
United States Department of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. §552, and on behalf of the United States Chamber of Commerce (the Chamber), I hereby request copies of the agency documents described below, to be used for commercial purposes. The term "agency" refers to the agency or department, its components, subcomponents, and/or any program or office that created, issued, maintains, or possesses the requested documents.

The documents requested include:

1. Any writings, memoranda, letters, reports, or other written documents from the U.S. Department of Energy, or any of its subsidiary offices, that identify or describe annual budgets, budget requests, and amount of appropriations received during each of fiscal years 2006 – 2009 for the "Complex Well Technology Testing Facility" program under § 967 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005, Pub. L. No. 109-58.
2. Any writings, memoranda, letters, reports, or other written documents from the U.S. Department of Energy, or any of its subsidiary offices, that identify or describe accomplishments pertaining to the achievement of statutory directives, including the status of Reports to Congress, issuance of policy guidance and rulemakings during each of fiscal years 2006 – 2008 for the "Complex Well Technology Testing Facility" program under § 967 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005, Pub. L. No. 109-58.

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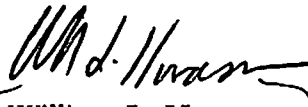
Under current regulations and case law pertaining to the Freedom of Information Act, the Chamber believes these documents are available to us and to other members of the public. If any portion of this request is denied, we request a detailed statement of the reasons for the withholding and an index or similar statement of the nature of the documents withheld.

To expedite this request, the Chamber is willing to discuss specific instances and/or other exemption claims in advance of a final decision by the agency. In the event of deletions, we request that a reason be stated for each partial denial of access. Further, please notify me of appeal procedures available under law.

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, the Chamber agrees to pay reasonable charges incurred to search for and copy these documents, upon presentation of an invoice with the finished copies. If any such search and copying fees exceed \$250, please telephone me in advance at (202) 463-5457 for agreement to such charges.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,


William L. Kovacs

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From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Tuesday, July 01, 2008 1:25 PM
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Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Reginald A Harris)

Organization:

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Email:

Record Description:

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- 1) Copy of [Cert list displaying my rating on the cert list and the ratings of individuals selected for the position.
- 2) Copies of the selected persons application.

Preferred Form or Format:

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 25.00

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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June 30, 2008

Mr. Kevin Hagerty
Office of Information Resources
Department of Energy
1000 Independence Ave. SW
Washington D.C. 20585

Re: 2008 Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Mr. Hagerty:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 USC § 552, I am requesting the amount of fees and expenses paid to the law firms in the following cases: *Cook v. Rockwell & Dow* and *Dupont - Hanford Class Action*. We made a similar request in June 2000 and I have enclosed a copy of the response we received. I spoke with Ms. Broker last week who informed me that the General Counsel Tracking System which contained the information in the year 2000 is now the Legal Management Tracking System.

If you have any questions, please call me at (513) 621-0267.

Sincerely,
Julia F. Mattheis
(Julia F. Mattheis)

Enclosures

7/2 - Requester agrees to pay up to \$200⁰⁰. Please notify if it will exceed.

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Via FAX

ATTN: CHRIS MORRIS

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United States Department of Energy,
1000 Independence Avenue, SW,
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Re: SWS Knoxville, Inc. (a.k.a. SWS of Knoxville, Inc., and SWS Inc.).

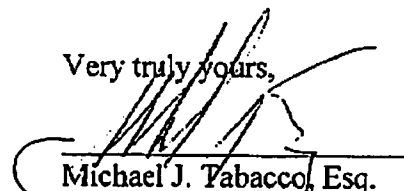
Dr. Mr. Haggerty:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. §552 et seq., this law firm is requesting copies of all of the files pertaining to _____, company, SWS Knoxville, Inc (a.k.a. SWS of Knoxville, Inc., and SWS Inc.) (Collectively, SWS) for the period from 1995 through 2008 regarding the debarment of said entity and/or said individual. SWS is located at 200 Battery Hill Circle, Knoxville, TN 37934-6631. This request includes all documents that were prepared by or on behalf of the Office of Procurement and Assistance Management of The Department of Energy (DOE) regarding the debarment of said entity or said individual. The Debarring official is Edward R. Simpson, Director of the Office of Procurement and Assistance Management .

Please send these materials to my attention at your very earliest convenience. If you have any questions with regard to this request or if the total cost for copying the requested materials will exceed \$100.00, I ask that you call me at (301) 670-0016 without delay. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this regard.

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Very truly yours,



Michael J. Tabacco, Esq.



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Procurement

Friday, June 12, 2008

Samuel Bodman - Secretary
United States Department of Energy
1000 Independence Ave., SW
Washington, DC 20585
Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

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Dear Secretary Bodman:

This is a *Freedom of Information Act* request. I am seeking a copy of the following documents:

Support data for your department's decision to announce a thirty million dollar effort with Ford, General Motors, and General Electric, on Thursday, June 11, 2008. The announcement included a stated goal: "To bring to market by 2014 plug-in hybrid electric cars that drive 40 miles on a single charge." Please include relevant information on how the Energy Department determined that the thirty million dollars would be best spent with the aforementioned companies rather than with the entrepreneurial ventures currently demonstrating vehicles that exceed 40 miles per charge.

In order to help you determine my status for purposes of deciding the applicability of any fees, you should know that I am an individual seeking information for personal use as a citizen active in public discourse. This information is not for any commercial use currently anticipated. I am willing to pay fees for this request up to a maximum of \$10.00. If you estimate that the fees will exceed this limit, please inform me first.

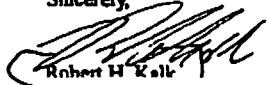
I request a waiver of all fees for this request. Disclosure of the requested information to me is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of activities and the operations of the government and is not primarily of commercial interest. I routinely write letters to the editors of major newspapers and news sites, maintain a personal web-log and regularly correspond with my elected representatives.

I request that the information I seek be provided in electronic format, and I would prefer to receive it on a CD-ROM.

I also include a telephone number at which I can be contacted during the hours of 9:00am to 9:00pm, if necessary, to discuss any aspect of my request.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,


Robert H. Kalk

Telephone number:

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Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 02, 2008 5:51 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: Michael Mutalipassi
Organization: Tri-Valley Cares

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FAX: (925) 443-0177

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Record Description:

This request is for all records concerning "work for others" activities by the Department of Energy at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory's Site 300 on behalf of the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Defense. The request includes, but is not limited to, all records concerning permitting, hazardous wastes, explosives testing, and the transfer or closure of Site 300.

Preferred Form or Format: CD-ROM

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with an educational or noncommercial scientific institution, and this request is made for scholarly or scientific purpose and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

The Department of Energy ("DOE"), Department of Home Land Security ("HLS") and the Department of Defense ("DOD") and their operations and activities are operations and activities of the government.

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

Review and dissemination by Tri-Valley CAREs of the documents regarding "work for others" activities at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory ("LLNL"), Site 300 will contribute to an understanding of government operations and activities. To date, the Department of Energy ("DOE") has used Site 300 as an explosives testing and treatment facility. However, more recently DOE has not gained as much as it had in the past from using Site 300 for these purposes. Rather, DOE has been contracting with other agencies for some of the work done at Site 300 and has placed the air quality permit for Site 300 on hold. Disclosure of DOE documents with regard to "work for others" and the overall future of Site 300 is likely to contribute to the understanding of government operations in terms of the future of Site 300, environmental concerns that might arise from "work for others"

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activities at Site 300 and allow the public to develop and understand a web of understanding of accountability at Site 300. This information will also allow nearby communities to cultivate appropriate and accurate development plans that include reasonable accounts of the future activities of Site 300.

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

Tri-Valley CAREs uses information obtained through FOIA to help the general public and others understand the operations and activities of the government, specifically DOE and its Livermore Lab. Tri-Valley CAREs publishes a monthly newsletter, circulated free of charge to interested parties. Information obtained from FOIA requests is used in the newsletter to increase public understanding of government activities, and it is expected that information obtained through this request will be used in our newsletter. In addition, Tri-Valley CAREs uses information derived from FOIA requests in its fact sheets, reports, and other materials that are distributed, like our newsletter, to the media, elected officials, regulatory agencies, other organizations, and the general public. Information is also available on our web site at <http://www.trivalleycares.org>. Moreover, information provided by Tri-Valley CAREs is used regularly by local, regional, and national media. Tri-Valley CAREs seeks these records in order to inform the public about an important government activity: the current actions and contracts and the future of Site 300. This information is of an indeterminable value to members of the communities that are affected by Site 300. Tri-Valley CAREs is in a position to disseminate this information. By obtaining these records, Tri-Valley CAREs will benefit the public and contribute to its general understanding. This is the group's mission, as laid out in its articles of incorporation and reflected by its 501(c)(3) status.

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

The documents requested will offer much needed insight into the future plans of the DOE with regard to Site 300. Site 300 has been in a sort of limbo state with regard to both its air permit and the identities of which agencies are doing what sort of work at that site. The information set forth in these documents will contribute significantly to the understanding, planning and foresight of the communities that are significantly affected by the activities at Site 300 on a perpetual basis. Therefore, disclosure of this information will contribute significantly to public understanding of government operations and activities. Additionally, Tri-Valley CAREs has the means (see above) and the track record to be "likely to contribute 'significantly' to public understanding."

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

This is not applicable in the case of Tri-Valley CAREs. As mentioned, Tri-Valley CAREs is a 501(c)(3) public benefit organization. We provide the information to the public free of charge.

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

Tri-Valley CAREs is a 501(c)(3) not for profit organization. It does not have any commercial or for profit interest in the information being requested. Since, there is no commercial interest at stake, the enormous public interest at stake, disclosure is primarily in the interest of public knowledge.

Expedited Processing:

I believe a compelling need exists to warrant expedited processing because there is:

an urgency to inform the public concerning actual or alleged Federal Government activity exists (this option available ONLY for requesters primarily engaged in disseminating information)

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

Tri-Valley CAREs asks that our request receive expedited processing because there is a compelling need for these documents. The information contained in these documents, which concerns the future of Site 300, will be disseminated to the public. Both access of knowledge to facilitate community planning and access to knowledge with regard to the safety of the neighborhoods that make up those communities are vital to the everyday decisions of the families and businesses in areas near Site 300. Timely disclosure is of the essence.

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From: FOIA [foia@foia.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 03, 2008 12:57 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: Re: New FOIA Request - DOE Smartpay data [7-3-08]

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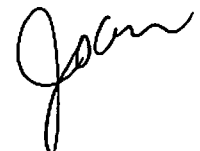
Hello* and good morning, under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, and relevant agency regulations, I hereby request a copy of the following information data fields for the time period, October 1, 2007 ending June 30, 2008, relevant to your agency's Employee SMARTPAY Credit Card Purchase Program for your agency

: Specifically we request:

1. All credit card holder (names, address, tel #, email) & their respective transaction data for the last "FY" year in the format as previously provided. To include - (A) Cardholder employee name (Last, MI. First), Department or Agency, Bureau, Office/Division, agency address (complete mailing), CITY, STATE, ZIP, PHONE, CH PHONE EXT; (B) MCC Code, Transaction Date, Transaction Amount; and (C) MERCHANT NAME, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP, PHONE.
2. Delivery Format: The ideal format is excel but only if the file is small enough. If the file is large then have it formatted as a COMMA DELIMITED TEXT FILE or a TAB DELIMITED TEXT FILE.
3. Please note we have been provided this information from the DOE in the past on an annual basis.

If you have any questions please contact me to discuss the scope of this request. I agree to pay reasonable foia fees, however, please notify me if these fees exceed \$55.00. Thanks! Please note the new address and contact information for FOIA Group, Inc's new FOIA Processing Center located in New York State, -- Jeff Stachewicz Esquire c/o FOIA Group, Inc., P.O. Box 368, Depew, New York, 14043 (716) 608-0800.

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From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Thursday, July 03, 2008 7:12 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

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Phone: 541-942-5546

FAX:

Email: pacificrequest@yahoo.com

Record Description:

- 1) Names and contact information of companies & (contact person/s) currently purchasing sweet light crude oil for the Petroleum Strategic Oil Reserve.
- 2) Names & contact information of persons in charge of purchasing coal for the DOE & How much coal they are looking for .

Preferred Form or Format: Email

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 50. 00

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Thursday, July 03, 2008 3:16 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Diana Marrero)

Organization: Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

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Washington, DC 20045

Phone: 202-662-7295

FAX:

Email: dmarrero@journal sentinel.com

Record Description:

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I request that a copy of the following be provided to me:

A log of all letters or other communication to your agency by Reps. Tammy Baldwin, Steve Kagen and Jim Sensenbrenner for the past two years; and/or a copy of the letters or other communication. Please send me the logs first if those can be processed more quickly than the letters. If the letters are available at the same time, please send those instead.

Preferred Form or Format:

Type of Requester (if provided):

A representative of the news media affiliated with Milwaukee Journal Sentinel and the request is made as part of news gathering and not for commercial use.

Type of Media (if provided):

Newspaper

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

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2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

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3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

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4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

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Expedited Processing:

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an urgency to inform the public concerning actual or alleged Federal Government activity exists (this option available ONLY for requesters primarily engaged in disseminating information)

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:



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July 1, 2008

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

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Re: FOIA Request & Request to Expedite

Dear FOIA Officer:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, the Government Accountability Project (GAP) requests access to and copies of all records and information including, but not limited to, memoranda, notes, letters, e-mails, drafts, hand or typewritten notes, computer printouts, and other records relevant to, or contained in any file, official or otherwise, pertaining to the following:

- a) All records pertaining to any meetings and/or communications between Viktor Kožený and then-World Bank President James D, Wolfensohn between 1997 and 2000, including without limitation meetings which occurred on or about November 30, 1997 and on or about March 10, 1998. This request also specifically includes all communications from Mr. Wolfensohn to Johannes Linn or other World Bank staff responding to the matters raised by Viktor Kožený.
- b) All records pertaining to any meetings and / or communications between Nadir Nasibov (aka Nadir Nassibli), the Chairman of the State Privatization Committee of Azerbaijan and then World Bank President James D, Wolfensohn between 1998 and 1999, including without limitation a meeting on or about March 10, 1998.
- c) All records pertaining to meetings and / or communications between Barat Nuriyev the Vice Chairman of the State Privatization Committee of Azerbaijan and then World Bank President James D, Wolfensohn between 1998 and 1999.
- d) All records pertaining to meetings and/or communications between Fred (aka Freddie or Freddy) Botur and James D, Wolfensohn between 1997 and 2000, including, without limitation, a meeting on or about October 31st, 1997.

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- e) **All records pertaining to any meeting and / or communications between Shafik Gabr and then-World Bank President James D. Wolfensohn between 1997 and 1999, including without limitations communications directed to or initiated with Wolfensohns' subordinates and referred to Wolfensohn for notification and/or comment.**

- f) **All records pertaining to any meetings and/ or communications with George Mitchell and then-World Bank President James D. Wolfensohn between 1998 and 1999 a) mentioning the following individuals: Viktor Kožený, Nadir Nasibov, Barat Nuriyev, Fred Botur, and/or Frank Chopin; and/ or b) mentioning the following companies: Minaret Ltd, BVI, Oily Rock Ltd, BVI, Minaret US Advisors and/or Oily Rock US Advisors; and/or c) concerning the following subjects the privatization program in Azerbaijan, Caspian region oil and pipelines.**

Each of these requests specifically includes all records relating to the request for the meeting, the statements made and positions taken at the meeting, and all results, minutes, or notes, as well as any follow-up communications.

If any of the material covered by this request has been destroyed or removed, please provide all surrounding documentation including, but not limited to, a description of the action taken regarding the materials and justification for those actions taken. For any documents or portions you deny due to a specific FOIA exemption, please provide a detailed justification of your grounds for claiming such exemption, explaining why the exemption is relevant to the document or portion of the document withheld.

The Government Accountability Project requests that all fees incurred in connection with this request be waived, because "disclosure of the information is in the public interest and is not primarily in the commercial interest of the requester." 5 U.S.C. § 552 (a)(4)(A)(iii).

GAP's Public Interest Status and History

GAP is a non-profit, non-partisan, public interest organization chartered under IRS Code §501 (C)(3) as a non-profit, educational and charitable organization. We seek to serve the public through achieving governmental accountability by protecting and encouraging federal and corporate employees who observe or are victimized by wrongdoing, gross waste of public funds, threats to public health and safety, environmental contamination, corruption, abuse of the public trust and other abuses of power.

GAP accomplishes these goals primarily by conducting advocacy campaigns before Congress, through the media, and for the general public and by providing legal representation to whistleblowers to combat the retaliation they have suffered in exercising their right of occupational free speech. Our twin aims are to promote corporate and government accountability and to expose, investigate, and correct substantive problems that

formed the basis of protected whistleblowing disclosures. GAP's role is well-recognized by the courts and, as an organization, has informational standing under the First Amendment protecting its receipt of disclosed information. *Taylor v. RTC*, 56 F.3d 1437 (D.C. Cir. 1995); *United States v. Garde*, 573 F. Supp. 604 (D.D.C. 1987); see, generally, *Virginia Pharmacy Bd. v. Virginia Consumer Council*, 425 U.S. 748, 756-57 (1976).

GAP has a nearly 30-year history of working in the public interest. GAP does not take individual cases based on the client's ability to pay, how much money GAP believes it can recover in legal fees through litigation or any other commercial interest. Rather, GAP takes cases of legitimately harassed whistleblowers, often pro-bono (without charge), that further public policy or legislative changes that make the law stronger for workers who witness and choose to tell the truth about corporate and taxpayer-financed wrongdoing and to pursue exposure and resolution of the wrongdoing. It is through this work and with the help of whistleblowers that GAP has, among other things, pushed for enactment of several whistleblower protection statutes, exposed unhealthy food at supermarket chains, pushed for independent reviews of the safety of the Alaska pipeline, exposed the threat of explosion in waste tanks at the Hanford nuclear site, and pushed for policy reform within numerous executive agencies. All this activity is done with the interest of the public in mind.

GAP's Investigation and Reasons for this Request

Presently, GAP is conducting an investigation under its International Program to obtain and disclose evidence of fraud and other misconduct in the state-owned assets privatization program in Azerbaijan, including, but not limited to, information that the United States Government and companies, other business or investment entities, institutions, organizations or individuals have engaged in wrongdoing. As part of this work, GAP is investigating the possible retaliation suffered by investor-whistleblower GAP attorneys represent in his effort to uncover the truth about the Azeri state-owned assets privatization investment schemes allegedly masterminded by Viktor Kozeny and others. former Senator George Mitchell, and other American investors lost everything they invested in these schemes. GAP is presently working with a Congressional Committee and media outlets that are interested in obtaining the results of GAP's investigations and bringing these issues to light.

The New York County District Attorney has indicted Mr. Kozeny for his role in the Azerbaijan state-owned assets privatization investment schemes. In an October 2003 press release, the District Attorney described the issues in the indictment as follows:

VIKTOR KOZENY has been indicted on 15 counts of Grand Larceny in the First Degree and two counts of Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the First Degree. The defendant is charged with stealing \$182 million from fifteen investment funds managed by Omega Advisors, which is located at 88 Pine Street in Manhattan. Investors included Columbia University, which lost \$15 million, and The Common Fund, a non-profit investment fund for colleges, universities and other not-for-profits, which lost \$4.5 million.

A lengthy investigation conducted before a grand jury empanelled in January, 2002 was necessary because many of the witnesses lived abroad and documents had to be gathered from Eastern Europe, the Channel Islands and Switzerland, among other places. This investigation revealed that the defendant persuaded investment managers at Omega to invest in vouchers and options in anticipation of the privatization of Azerbaijan's state-owned national oil company, SOCAR (State Oil Company of the Azerbaijani Republic).

Privatization vouchers are used by nations, including many former Soviet-bloc countries, when state-owned assets are being sold to the public - "privatized." Vouchers are distributed to the nation's citizens to give them an opportunity to participate in the sale of the state's assets, when those assets are put up for sale. Vouchers are bearer instruments that could be freely traded, purchased or sold. In the case of Azerbaijan, non-citizens who wished to purchase state-owned properties were required to purchase so-called options from the government in addition to the vouchers, which could be bought on the open market. For every voucher a non-citizen purchased, they had to also purchase an option in order to exercise the voucher. Thus, the options operated, in effect, as a tax on foreign investments.

In this case, the defendant was to have invested in vouchers and options both his own money and funds being managed by Omega Advisers. The defendant promised the investment managers for the fifteen funds that their investments would not be used to purchase his block of vouchers and options but would be used to purchase an additional \$182 million worth of vouchers and options for their funds from the market and the Azerbaijan government. This would have ensured that, together, the defendant and the Omega investors would have a controlling block of the vouchers and options needed to purchase SOCAR, in the event it was put up for sale.

Contrary to defendant's representations and promises, and unbeknownst to the Omega investors, the defendant used Omega's funds to buy out his own position. In fact, the defendant had misrepresented the nature of his own investment, stating he owned 300,000 options when he actually owned 10 million. Of the funds invested through Omega, \$95 million was used to purchase vouchers and options owned by the defendant. Since the defendant had obtained his vouchers and options at a fraction of the price at which he sold them, he realized a profit of \$93 million on these transactions alone.

The indictment further charges that the defendant stole an additional \$14 million invested through Omega by using their clients' money for personal expenses. Eleven million dollars was used to pay off a personal credit line at Alfa Bank in Moscow. Another \$3 million was used to purchase luxury home furnishings and to meet various other expenses associated with the defendant's homes in Aspen, Colorado and Lyford Cay, The Bahamas. The investigation is continuing as to the disposition of the additional \$73 million the defendant stole from Omega's clients.¹

Thus far, Mr. Kozeny has avoided extradition from his home in The Bahamas and has yet to be prosecuted under the indictment.

¹ See, NY County District Attorney's web site at:
<http://www.manhattanda.org/whatsnew/press/2003-10-02.shtml> (as of April 30, 2008)

Beyond Mr. Kozeny's alleged individual wrongdoing, there is a labyrinth of "special purpose entities" (SPEs), trusts, corporations, and other purported business entities that may be used to misinform investors and move money and property around the world without oversight or detection. GAP seeks to fully expose the alleged misuse of these business entities by Mr. Kozeny and others in an effort to inform the public and bring about legislative reform and financial accountability at the national and international levels.

Dissemination of the Requested Information

In our efforts to eliminate fraud and illegality in the government and major private institutions, GAP works closely with Members of Congress, the media, and the public to alert them to such irregularities. In all of its work, GAP promotes transparency and good government that is fully accountable to its citizens. The information requested will be used in connection with a campaign aimed at key decision-makers at the federal level, the general public, and self-selected subscribers.

The combined circulation and viewer-base of our national, regional, and self-subscribed outlets ensure that the information will, indeed, be widely distributed to diverse segments of the public who will benefit from the legal disclosures requested above. On average, GAP's website receives 70,000 visits per month. In addition, GAP has over 14,000 subscribers to its newsletter and e-news letter. As a consequence, articles and information published by GAP will enhance the public's understanding of government operations.

Non-commercial use of the Requested Information

Disclosure of this information by GAP is in no way connected with any commercial interest since GAP is a non-profit, tax-exempt organization under § 501 (c)(3) of the IRS Code. The information we are seeking is crucial to advance public knowledge and will not be put to any commercial use.

Request to Expedite

GAP has a compelling need to receive the requested information promptly and requests that the agency expedite processing of GAP's request. See, 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(E). The urgent nature of this request is established by several important concerns.

- First, _____ has been subjected to indictment and has a trial pending in federal court in the Southern District of New York. The information sought will assist _____ in obtaining vindication from the federal government's charges. Further, _____ has asserted that his indictment was politically motivated and GAP is investigating this issue to determine if the federal government has acted unethically or illegally. Absent the expedited disclosure of the requested records, Mr. Bourke

may suffer the loss of his constitutionally protected rights to liberty and due process.

- Second, dissemination of the requested information will aid individual and institutional investors in avoiding significant losses from such elaborate and well disguised international investment schemes.
- Third, GAP needs immediate access to the requested records in order to assess and present the information to interested committees of the U.S. Congress. The sooner Congress can investigate these issues and begin the process of instituting legislative reforms the sooner protections for the investing public will be put into place.

I hereby certify that the forgoing concerns evidencing compelling need to expedite the processing of this FOIA request to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Accordingly, I expect that you will act on this distinct request for expedited processing within ten calendar days of receipt and grant it under the statutory standard.

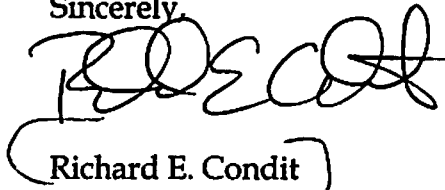
To the extent that the information requested is voluminous or may require some time for a proper search, GAP will certainly work with the agency FOIA official assigned to develop a plan and timetable for a partial and then complete response. Please contact me to discuss a plan to facilitate the agency's response.

Timing of Agency's Response

Please be reminded that under the Freedom of Information Act, we are entitled to a response to the request to expedite within ten calendar days and a substantive response to this FOIA request within twenty working days. Should the request to expedite and/or this FOIA request be denied for any reason, we ask that a detailed explanation be provided along with the name and contact information of the person to whom administrative appeals should be addressed.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,



Richard E. Condit
Senior Counsel

Eml.: richardc@whistleblower.org

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Tuesday, July 08, 2008 11:21 AM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (James Sowles)

Organization:

Address:

Phone:

FAX:

Email:

Record Description:

any and all records pertaining to department of energy Grant No. DE-FG02-97-ER82313, as well as any and all documents pertaining to U.S. Patent No. 6,787,083 issued on Sep. 7, 2004. *Vijak K. Chandhok, "Method for producing through extrusion an anisotropic magnet with high energy product", U.S. Patent No. 6,787,083 issued on Sep. 7, 2004.*

Preferred Form or Format: photocopy, dvd, electronic mail

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 50

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

I believe a compelling need exists to warrant expedited processing because there is: an imminent threat to the life or physical safety of an individual exists or

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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Via U.S. Mail

Freedom of Information Act Officer
U.S. Department of Energy
1000 Independence Ave., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20585

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

To Whom it My Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, please provide me with copies of any and all records¹ evidencing or otherwise relating to:

1. The United States² ownership, right, title and/or interest of any kind ("ownership") of any, all or a portion of the properties identified in Attachment A (the "Properties"), including without limitation any ownership of the surface, subsurface, mineral estate, land, water, ore, protore, natural resources, uranium in any form, waste rock, mine waste and/or mill waste on, in, beneath, around, to or from the Properties. For example, and without limitation, please provide:

a. any and all deeds, leases, licenses, contracts for purchase or sale, surface and/or subsurface agreements, easements, claims, licenses, trust agreements, rights-of-way, abstracts, titles, title opinions, title insurance, bid/auction records, requests for bids, and/or evidence of purchase, sale, acquisition, lease or transfer;

b. ~~(records of payments of any kind or amount)~~ (rents, royalties, etc.) ~~(submitted to or received from or paid to the United States)~~ (including without limitation payments to or by the United States on behalf of the Navajo Nation, allottees or individual Navajo Nation members) ~~(from uranium exploration, mining, milling or production)~~

¹ "Records" means any and all records and information within the scope of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and implementing regulations.

² "United States" means the United States, the Department of Energy (DOE), the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC), the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), the United States Geological Survey (USGS), the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), and/or any and all other departments, agencies, bureaus, services, offices, officials, employees, contractors, representatives or instrumentalities of the United States.

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c. records of sale or purchase of any form of uranium to or by the United States at or from the Properties, including without limitation purchases made pursuant to government schedules.

2. The United States', including without limitation the DOE's, AEC's and/or NRC's direct or indirect activities, operations, agreement or acquiescence, knowledge or understanding of, participation or involvement of any kind in or connection to uranium mining, milling, processing, exploration, development, uranium production, mine or mill waste disposal, reclamation and/or remediation activities of, in, on, about, beneath, around, to, from or otherwise pertaining to the Properties identified in Attachment A. For example, and without limitation, please provide records of or pertaining to:

a. DOE's, AEC's, and/or NRC's involvement in or connection to the Properties, including but not limited to production reports, quotas, and/or disposal requirements;

b. procurement contracts or any other contracts or agreements pertaining to the purchase, sale, transfer or acquisition of uranium in any form from the Properties;

c. United States' direction, control or encouragement of, participation or involvement in, or incentives or bonuses for any phase of uranium exploration, mining, milling and production, or waste disposal;

d. start up, conduct, suspension or termination of exploration, mining, milling, waste disposal, remediation or reclamation operations;

e. location, manner, timing, start up, conduct, suspension or termination of or any arrangements for exploration, mining, milling, or waste disposal;

f. knowledge or understanding of the United States (including without limitation the DOE, AEC, and/or NRC) of environmental impacts from uranium mining, exploration, milling and/or processing, and/or storage or disposal of waste materials from such activities, that could occur on the Properties.

3. Policy statements, notices, directives, orders, and guidance documents issued by the DOE, AEC, and/or NRC affecting or relating to the exploration, mining, milling, processing and/or production of uranium, and/or storage or disposal of waste materials from such activities, on or in the vicinity of the Navajo Nation in Arizona and New Mexico from 1944-1979.

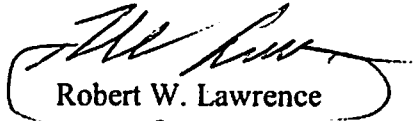
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4. Any agreements, memoranda of understandings, cooperative agreements, letters, statements, declarations or other similar records related to the Properties in Attachment A between or among all or any of the DOE, the BIA, the Navajo Nation (including without limitation its officials, departments, agencies, and Chapters), USEPA, the AEC, the USGS, NRC, BLM and/or other governmental entities reflecting their respective roles, responsibilities, rights, duties, and obligations under state, federal, and tribal environmental laws and regulations.

We agree to pay the reasonable search and reproduction costs for the foregoing documents. However, please contact me at 303.892.7409 with an estimate for such costs before duplicating the requested documents or if you have any questions about this request.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rob Lawrence", enclosed within a hand-drawn oval.

Robert W. Lawrence

for

DAVIS GRAHAM & STUBBS LLP

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Attachment

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Monday, July 07, 2008 2:40 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Bob Cusack)

Organization: The Hill newspaper

Address:

1625 K Street, Suite 900, Washington, D.C., 20006

Phone: 202-628-8350

FAX:

Email: bcusack@thehill.com

Record Description:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am requesting the Department of Energy's (FOIA log from Jan. 1, 2008 to the date this letter is processed. The FOIA log consists of the name of the requester, their affiliation and what they are requesting. I am also seeking a fee waiver because I am a member of the media. Please inform me if any costs exceed \$25.

Please mail these materials to me at 1625 K Street, Suite 900, Washington, DC 20006. Please call me at 202 628-8350 with any questions.

Thank you,
Bob Cusack

Preferred Form or Format: mail

Type of Requester (if provided):

A representative of the news media affiliated with The Hill and the request is made as part of news gathering and not for commercial use.

Type of Media (if provided):

Newspaper

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

Yes

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

Yes

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the

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, information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

Yes

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

Yes

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

Yes

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

Yes

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Tuesday, July 08, 2008 12:11 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: Maxine Lipeles

Organization: American Bottom Conservancy

Address:

Campus Box 1120
One Brookings Drive
St. Louis, MO 63130

Phone:

FAX:

Email:

Record Description:

Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Industrial Technologies Program plant assessments for US Steel Corporation Granite City Works, specifically

- 1) Plant assessment of fans dated June 26, 2008 ESA ID # ESA-130-3
- 2) Plant assessment of process heating dated June 8, 2007 ESA ID # ESA-056-2
- 3) Plant assessment of pumps dated May 22, 2008 ESA ID # ESA-084-3

Preferred Form or Format:

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

The requested records concern the activities of the DOE's Industrial Technologies Program with respect to Granite City Works, a major source of pollution in metropolitan St. Louis

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

The information to be disclosed will help ABC and the public at large to understand the DOE's efforts to promote energy efficiency at Granite City Works.

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

ABC works to promote environmental justice for low-income communities and to protect against air pollution. To this end, ABC works to educate the public on various issues of

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conservation and pollution control by holding meetings for community members and making complex legal information available to the public.

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

Granite City Works is a large facility with significant energy consumption that leads to equally significant contribution to the unacceptable air quality in the St. Louis area. Disclosure of the requested information will permit the public to understand the DOE's role in air pollution reduction through its energy efficiency initiatives.

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

ABC is an Illinois not-for-profit organization and has no commercial interest in the requested disclosure.

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

No commercial interest exists.

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Tuesday, July 08, 2008 10:21 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name [Robert Brandys]

Organization:

Address:

Phone:

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Email:

Record Description:

[All documents from DE-FC07-96ID 13475 relating to item #18 in the report] as follows:

"18. The vehicle is accompanied by non-proprietary manuals for parts, service, operation and maintenance, interconnection wiring diagrams and schematics."

Preferred Form or Format: any

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 100

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

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Abel Lopez
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U.S. Department of Energy
Office of Freedom of Information Act
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

RE: FOIA and Privacy Act Request

Dear Mr. Lopez:

I am requesting "certified" copies of the following records. All appropriate release forms are attached.

Application for employment

Employment History and Personnel Record

Return to work slips

Weekly assignment sheets

Accident or injury records:

Typed and written committee incident reports

Typed and written accident reports

Typed and written supervisor report of injury

All Industrial Hygiene typed and written reports

All Health and Safety Division reports

All Internal and external correspondence written to, about and/or from the
employee

External Dosimetry Records

Individual readings from TLDs

Film Badges

Neutron dosimeters

Pocket ionization chambers, etc

All raw data and summations

Internal Dosimetry Records

Analytical results from fecal analyses, whole body counts, breath analysis, etc.

Type of analysis performed

Chemical and physical form of contaminant

All raw data and summations

Dr. Quigley, Lawrence Livermore Laboratory results or other monitoring reports or other
physician documents and reports regarding tissue or bone Sampling Records

Please send all raw data.

Medical Records:

EKG's

Pre placement Physical Examination

Periodic Examinations

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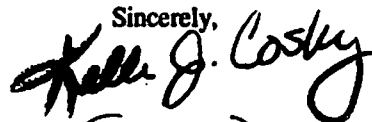
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Correspondence written to or from physicians or hospitals or insurance companies
All typed medical record reports
Bureau of Worker's Comp files, internal memo's, correspondence or other medically related litigation claims
Medical Department Dispensary Records, internal memo's and "blue cards"
Medical Division "Treatment Cards"
All Clinical Laboratory Results, including in vitro analysis (urinalysis), bio-assay and Uranium and Plutonium (Please include raw data)
All pathology reports
Radiograph Reports
Pulmonary Function Tests
Other: All medically related records and correspondence

The package address is:

**Kelli Cosby Expert Panel Coordinator
Fernald II Worker's Settlement Fund
36 East Fourth St. Suite 915
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202**

Sincerely,

(Kelli Cosby RN)

The National Security Archive

The George Washington University
Gelman Library, Suite 701
2130 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Phone: 202/994-7000
Fax: 202/994-7005
nsarchiv@gwu.edu
www.nsarchive.org

Monday, July 14, 2008

Carolyn Lawson
FOIA/Privacy Act Group
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, DC 20585

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Re: Request under the FOIA, in reply refer to Archive# 20080709DOE002

Dear Ms. Lawson :

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), I hereby request the following:

All documents including but not limited to cables, emails, memos, slides, and training materials concerned with 1) evaluating, recording, and reporting the origin, source, and other provenance information for Iraqi records (sometimes referred to as "Operation Iraqi Freedom" documents) uncovered in Iraq since March 19, 2003] 2) assessing the reliability of these documents as sources for information and/or intelligence. According to a September 8, 2006 Senate Select Committee on Intelligence report, more than 34 million pages of these documents "are available to analysts in an Intelligence Community database." (see attachment).

Please refer this request to the Office of Intelligence and Counterintelligence.

If you regard any of these documents as potentially exempt from the FOIA's disclosure requirements, I request that you nonetheless exercise your discretion to disclose them. As the FOIA requires, please release all reasonably segregable non exempt portions of documents. To permit me to reach an intelligent and informed decision whether or not to file an administrative appeal of any denied material, please describe any withheld records (or portions thereof) and explain the basis for your exemption claims.

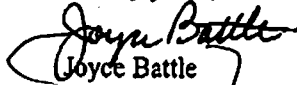
As a representative of the news media, the National Security Archive qualifies for "representative of the news media" status under 5 U.S.C. Sec. 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II) and, therefore, may not be charged search and review fees. (See *National Security Archive v. U.S. Department of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381 (D.C. Cir. 1989), *cert denied*, 110 S Ct. 1478 (1990)). This request is made as part of a scholarly and news research project that is intended for publication and is not for commercial use. For details on the Archive's research and extensive publication activities please see our website at www.nsarchive.org.

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Joan

To expedite the release of the requested documents, please disclose them on an interim basis as they become available to you, without waiting until all the documents have been processed. Please notify me before incurring any photocopying costs over \$100. If you have any questions regarding the identity of the records, their location, the scope of the request or any other matters, please call me at (202) 994-7000 or email me at foiamail@gwu.edu. I look forward to receiving your response within the twenty day statutory time period.

Sincerely yours,


Joyce Battle

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Monday, July 14, 2008 10:37 AM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Brett Barrouquere)

Organization: The Associated Press

Address:

525 West Broadway
4th Floor
Louisville, Ky. 40202

Phone: 502-583-7718

FAX: 502-589-4831

Email: bbarrouquere@ap.org

Record Description:

Brett Barrouquere
Reporter
The Associated Press
525 West Broadway
4th Floor
Louisville, Ky. 40202
502-583-7718

July 14, 2008

Department of Energy
Director, FOIA/PA Division, ME-73
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

FOIA REQUEST

Fee benefit requested

Dear FOI Officer:

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I request access to and copies of the amount of fees spent for attorneys, their paralegals and other support staff by the Department of Energy (DOE) for the following law firms representing the defendants in the pending litigation, Warren Smith, et al. v. Carbide and Chemicals Corp., et al., U.S. District Court, Western District of Kentucky. Specifically, I request the amount spent in the case on Robert Tait and Gail Ford of Vorys, Sater, Seymoure & Pease; G. Wilson Horde of Kramer, Rayson, Leake, Rodgers and Morgan; Mark Whitlow of Whitlow,

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Roberts, Houston & Straub; and Joseph DiStefano, Esquire.

I agree to pay reasonable duplication fees for the processing of this request in an amount not to exceed \$100. However, please notify me prior to your incurring any expenses in excess of that amount.

As a representative of the news media I am only required to pay for the direct cost of duplication after the first 100 pages. Through this request, I am gathering information on legal expenses paid to outside counsel by government agencies that is of current interest to the public because of the current fiscal situation. This information is being sought on behalf of The Associated Press for dissemination to the general public.

If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material. I, of course, reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees.

As I am making this request as a journalist and this information is of timely value, I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone, rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request.

I look forward to your reply within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Brett Barrouquere

Preferred Form or Format: paper

Type of Requester (if provided):

A representative of the news media affiliated with The Associated Press and the request is made as part of news gathering and not for commercial use.

Type of Media (if provided):

Other: news service

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 100

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Monday, July 14, 2008 10:39 AM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Brett Barrouquere)
Organization: The Associated Press

Address:

525 West Broadway
Louisville, Ky. 40202

Phone: 502-583-7718

FAX: 502-589-4831

Email: bbarrouquere@ap.org

Record Description:

I would like the total amount spent on outside legal counsel to handle pending litigation involving the Department of Energy for the years 2000-2008

Preferred Form or Format: paper

Type of Requester (if provided):

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 100

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Tuesday, July 15, 2008 5:16 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name (Tracy P Binger)

Organization:

Address:

Phone:

FAX:

Email:

Record Description:

[INL Fire Dept. report for response to car fire in INTEC parking lot.]

Preferred Form or Format: Email

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

NO

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

NO

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

NO

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

NO

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

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NO

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

NO

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

Please expedite my request due to the reason i need it is that Moterola is waiting on the first response of the INL fire dept. to process the situation of my cell phone cathing fire, and agreeing to a settlement.

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 16, 2008 11:52 AM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: James C Oskins

Organization:

Address:

Phone:

FAX:

Email:

Record Description:

Persuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), I am requesting copies of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission Form AL-569, Temporary Custodian Receipts for the following dates and locations-

1. Date- (19 July 1957)

Weapon System- A3D Skywarrior BuNo 135430

Crew-AQ1 Pascal Mazuc 3rd CM E - Aviation Fire Control Technician

CDR Clarence Frossard Pilot C - Commander

ENS Henry Demers BN E - Bombadier Navigator

2. Date- 31 July 1957

Weapon System- Unknown

Location- Holloman Air Force Base (Air Force Missile Development Center)

3. Date- December 12, 1960

Weapon System- Unknown

Location- unknown, possibly White Sands Missile Range

Crew- unknown

Please advise me if the above documents are not held by your Agency and, if possible, inform me as which agency may hold the forms.

Sincerely,

James C Oskins
USAF Retired

Preferred Form or Format: .pdf or hardcopy

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with an educational or noncommercial scientific institution, and this request is made for scholarly or scientific purpose and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

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By [Signature]

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I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 25.00

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 16, 2008 12:03 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: David Pilch

Organization: KM Systems Group

Address:

4779 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax, VA 22032

Phone: 703-598-0823

FAX:

Email: DPilch@KMSystemsGroup.Com

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Record Description:

1. How much does the Department of Energy spend for local area network computer access each year? (This should include hardware, software, and support in as much detail as possible.)
2. How many people at the Department of Energy have local area network computer access?
3. What type of software does the Department of Energy use for email? (Example Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Exchange, etc)
4. How much does the Department of Energy spend for email access each year?
5. How many people at the Department of Energy have access to email?

Preferred Form or Format: Microsoft Excel or Word

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

This information will be used to support a contract at the Federal Aviation Administration.

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

FOIA-2008-000408

Shade

The National Security Archive

The George Washington University
Gelman Library, Suite 701
2130 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

Phone: 202/994-7000
Fax: 202/994-7005
nsarchiv@gwu.edu
www.nsarchive.org

Wednesday, July 16, 2008

Carolyn Lawson
FOIA/Privacy Act Group
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, DC 20585

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Re: Request under the FOIA, in reply refer to Archive# 20080801DOE003

Dear Ms. Lawson :

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), I hereby request the following:

All documents including but not limited to briefing materials, cables, letters, memos, and reports concerned with United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission (UNMOVIC) inspections of Iraqi sites suspected of housing Iraqi non-conventional weapons programs (nuclear, biological, chemical, and missile) from February 1 through February 28, 2003, including a February 8 raid by U.N. Team Bravo at Djerf al-Naddaf, suspected to be a site for the production of mobile biological weapon labs, and all documents concerned with International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) analyses of the results of these inspections. Please include records from the Office of Intelligence and Counterintelligence and any other DOE components concerned with nonproliferation in your review.

If you regard any of these documents as potentially exempt from the FOIA's disclosure requirements, I request that you nonetheless exercise your discretion to disclose them. As the FOIA requires, please release all reasonably segregable non exempt portions of documents. To permit me to reach an intelligent and informed decision whether or not to file an administrative appeal of any denied material, please describe any withheld records (or portions thereof) and explain the basis for your exemption claims.

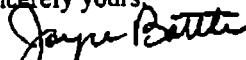
As a representative of the news media, the National Security Archive qualifies for "representative of the news media" status under 5 U.S.C. Sec. 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II) and, therefore, may not be charged search and review fees. (See *National Security Archive v. U.S. Department of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381 (D.C. Cir. 1989), *cert denied*, 110 S Ct. 1478 (1990)). This request is made as part of a scholarly and news research project that is intended for publication and is not for commercial use. For details on the Archive's research and extensive publication activities please see our website at www.nsarchive.org.

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Brenner

To expedite the release of the requested documents, please disclose them on an interim basis as they become available to you, without waiting until all the documents have been processed. Please notify me before incurring any photocopying costs over \$100. If you have any questions regarding the identity of the records, their location, the scope of the request or any other matters, please call me at (202) 994-7000 or email me at foiamail@gwu.edu. I look forward to receiving your response within the twenty day statutory time period.

Sincerely yours,



Joyce Battle

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 16, 2008 3:30 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: Daniel Seligman

Organization:

Address:

Phone:

FAX:

Email:

Record Description:

A copy of the DOE Inspector General's response in 2005-2007 to a FOIA request submitted by the law firm of Hoevet & Boise in Portland, Oregon, concerning an IG investigation of [an employee of the Bonneville Power Administration.]

Please forward this request to Adrienne Martin, 202-586-1653 in the DOE IG's office.

Thank you.

Preferred Form or Format:

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 100

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Thursday, July 17, 2008 12:28 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name (Paul Kearns)

Organization: Battelle

Address:

505 King Avenue
Columbus OH 43201

Phone: 614 256 3057

FAX:

Email: kearnsp@battelle.org

Record Description:

"The Nuclear Energy Advisory committee (NEAC) to DOE's Office of Nuclear Energy (NE) has recently completed a predecisional document entitled "Preliminary NEAC response to Assistant Secretary Spurgeon's task "Facilitization of US Nuclear R&D infrastructure." I request a copy of this document. Although this is a predecisional document, the Federal Advsiory Committee Act (FACA) allows it's release to the public if a FOIA request is filed. Dr. John Boger is the Designated Federal Officer for NEAC. He can be reached at 301-903-4495 should you have any questions."

Preferred Form or Format: PDF

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

Directly relates to the operations of the government and its plans for the future.

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

Information is vital to understanding of government operations and its plans for the future.

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

Disclosure informs additional studies undertaken for the government on similar topics - enhances public understanding of government operations and activities.

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John

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4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

Disclosure significantly contributes to the understanding of government operations.

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

No commercial interest - provides needed background for simialr study being conducted for the government.

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

Disclosure of the study will inform similar study being ocnducted for the government. There is no commercial interest.

Expedited Processing:

I believe a compelling need exists to warrant expedited processing because there is:

an urgency to inform the public concerning actual or alleged Federal Government activity exists (this option available ONLY for requesters primarily engaged in disseminating information)

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

Disclosure of the study will inform a similar study on required capabilities to support the nuclear energy industry being conducted for the government with a July 28, 2008 due date.

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Thursday, July 17, 2008 4:12 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: Shannon P Springer

Organization:

Address:

Phone:

FAX:

Email:

Record Description:

I am looking for Copies of Oil Contracts that the US currently holds with other countries for the import and export of petroleum products

- 1) Who we purchase petroleum from currently
- 2) Copies of the current contracts

Preferred Form or Format: xls, doc

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

To compare and contrast the contracts per demographic region

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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The Secretary

From: William Comer |
Sent: Monday, May 19, 2008 11:33 PM
To: The Secretary
Subject: DOE Management Contract

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Good day,

I am inquiring as to what [contractor has been awarded a major management contract with DOE] I am an investor.

Thank you,

William Comer

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May 28, 2008

Mr. Clarence H. (Bud) Albright, Jr.
Under Secretary of Energy
US/Forrestal Building
U.S. Department of Energy
1000 Independence Ave., S.W.
Washington, DC 20585

Dear Mr. Albright,

Intellectual Ventures, a Bellevue, Washington based company, is currently investigating alternative nuclear power system designs and configurations. Our conceptual design work is focused on reactor designs initially proposed for development by Dr. Edward Teller and other leading US nuclear scientists. These design concepts have led our scientific teams to conclude that a fast reactor using metal fuel is the optimum configuration to meet our design and performance objectives. Our goal is to develop sufficient designs, tests, and engineering to enable the nuclear industry to realize more sustainable reactor concepts.


As a part of our conceptual design development work, Intellectual Ventures requests access to Hanford's Fast Flux Test Facility nuclear core data and fuels performance records. These records are required to allow Intellectual Ventures' science staff to benchmark our computer codes for core performance modeling of our concept designs.

Our staff and consultants have searched the publicly available records at the Office of Scientific & Technical Information (OSTI), the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), and local Hanford technical library sources. Although we have identified numerous technical articles, these reports lack the raw core data needed by our team for benchmarking our computer codes.

We understand this data is currently in storage on the Hanford Site. However, the data and records have been classified as *Applied Technology*, and access requires a specific process to be followed. Although we have not attempted nor plan to participate in the Global Nuclear Energy Partnership (GNEP), our concept designs are wholly consistent with the Advanced Fuel Cycle Initiative (AFCI) and stated objectives for advanced reactor design concepts, which merit enthusiastic support from the Department to facilitate our access to the requested records.

Intellectual Ventures will comply with all access control requirements for any materials that may eventually be in our possession, and the materials will remain non-exclusive. Please provide us with the appropriate contact points within the Department so that we can start the authorization process for access to these records.

Sincerely,


John Gilleland
Intellectual Ventures, Nuclear Program Manager

cc: James A. Ruppolt, Assistant Secretary, Environmental Management
Dennis R. Spurgeon, Assistant Secretary, Nuclear Energy

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info@intven.com

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7/21/08 - Requests agree to pay up to \$5000⁰⁰ in fees. Please notify if it will exceed that amount.
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Joan



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July 10, 2008

FOIA Officer
United States Department of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

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Re: Oak Ridge National Laboratory – UT-Battelle

Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of WBIR-TV, Channel 10, a news media ("WBIR-TV"), and pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552, we are hereby requesting copies of all documentation regarding the recent hiring of Alison Wagley as Manager of Community Outreach in the communications department of Oak Ridge National Laboratory.]

The requested records are subject to disclosure as "agency records" for FOIA purposes. UT-Battelle is the management and operating contractor of Oak Ridge National Laboratory for the U.S. Department of Energy.

WBIR-TV is requesting copies of the following documents which show the date the document was filed, submitted, sent or received or the date the action described in the document was taken:

1. Alison Wagley's job application;
2. Request for her background check;
3. Request for her drug screening;
4. Response regarding her background check;
5. Response for her drug screening;
6. Any dated paperwork establishing her date of hire – including any offer letter or letter of intent;
7. Documents showing her intent to accept the position; and
8. Her salary, whether or not it appears in a written document.

We are requesting these records to confirm the dates of Ms. Wagley's job application, related investigations, offer and/or date of hire, and date of her acceptance of employment at Oak Ridge National Laboratory. We are not interested in or requesting any records the disclosure of which would constitute a "clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy" under § 552(b)(6) of the FOIA. We hereby authorize you, in responding to this request, to redact such records to delete any information which may constitute non-disclosable personal information.

We agree to pay reasonable fees for the processing of this request in an amount not to exceed \$100. Please notify me prior to your incurring any expenses in excess of that amount, and I may approve additional charges at that time.

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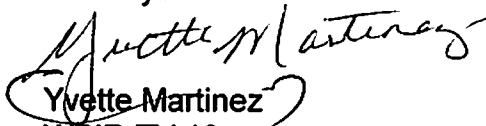
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As I am making this request as a journalist with WBIR-TV and this information is of timely value, I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone, rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request.

Any denial of this request should include the basis for the denial and be accompanied by citation to the provision of the Freedom of Information Act that permits this denial.

Please contact me as soon as any or all of this documentation is available. I can be reached at the number listed below.

Thank you.


Yvette Martinez
WBIR-TV 10
(865) 637-1272/newsroom
(865) 640-2846 ©

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Tuesday, July 22, 2008 9:42 AM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

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Name (Dick Vaughan)

Organization: myself

Address:

Phone:

FAX: none

Email:

Record Description:

Dear Sir,

Since energy policy is currently under question by the House and Senate² relative to oil drilling to whom do I direct a Freedom of Information Act request for all government leases on the outer continental shelf and Alaska/ANWR so that the facts of the leases can be made public instead of subject to a politicians interpretation.

The noise is getting very old and someone is lying. Either the Democratic Congress or the oil companies. One or the other. I also need the reports of various government agencies relative to the assessments of oil reserves in these areas and how they were obtained.

Dick Vaughan

Preferred Form or Format:

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

yes

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

yes

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Questions
Jan

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

yes

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

yes

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

no

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

n/a

Expedited Processing:

I believe a compelling need exists to warrant expedited processing because there is:

an urgency to inform the public concerning actual or alleged Federal Government activity exists (this option available ONLY for requesters primarily engaged in disseminating information)

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

To find out the truth.

Morris, Alexander

From: Nick Jacobs [aandvinc1@aol.com]
Sent: Saturday, July 19, 2008 12:47 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: FOIA REQUEST

A&V Contracting, Inc
12575 Garman Drive, Nokesville, VA 20181
703-475-1254 office 703-842-8520 fax

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FOIA REQUEST

July 18, 2008

U.S. Department of Energy
1000 Independence Ave., S.W.
Washington, DC 20585

FOIA Coordinator:

I hereby request under the Freedom of Information Act a copy of the following in either a hardcopy format or electronic format:

An accounting which will show all uncashed checks which have been outstanding for six months or more. Please exclude any payroll checks from this request. Information should show payee name, check amount, date issued and check number.

If there are any costs associated with this request please let me know as soon as possible. Please feel free to email, fax or mail the information.

Sincerely,

FOIA-2008-000421

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(Nick Jacobs)
A&V, Inc.
(703)475-1254

Aandvinc1@aol.com

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Requester agrees to pay up to \$200.00 to process
Please notify if it will exceed.
A&V

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Date of Request: July 11, 2008

Requestor: Michael F. Brainard
The Brainard Group, LLC
8200 Greensboro Drive, Suite 900
McLean, Virginia 22102
PH: 703.677.3141
FX: 703.462.5459
EM: michael@thebrainardgroup.com

Type of requestor: Private company seeking information for use in company business.

Location of records: Pantex Plant, Amarillo, Carson County, Texas
Office of Environmental Management
Environmental Remediation Services Department

Description of records:

Generally, we wish to retrieve information on all contract and modifications issued by the Pantex Plant's Environmental Remediation Services Department to the following contractors:

- PIKA International, Inc. of Stafford, Texas
- MKM Engineers, Inc. of Stafford, Texas.

The following specific data are requested:

1. Copies of all contracts issued by or on behalf of the Pantex Plant's Environmental Remediation Services Department to PIKA International, Inc. from 2003 to the present with the following information:

- Contract number
- Contract title
- Brief description of statement of work
- Contract period of performance
- Initial award value – dollar value if single award, ceiling amount if ID/IQ
- Final contract value
- Name of Pantex Contracting Officer
- Name of Pantex Technical Representative
- Whether contract award was competitive or sole source
- If it was a competitive award, was it awarded on lowest price or best value?
- Include:** Uniform Contract Sections A through G
- Exclude:** Uniform Contract Sections H through K
- Exclude:** all contract attachments and enclosures

2. Copies of all modifications to the above contracts issued by or on behalf of the Pantex Plant's Environmental Remediation Services Department with PIKA International, Inc. from 2003 to the present with the following information:

- Contract number
- Contract modification dollar value
- Include:** Standard Form 30 (SF 30) or similar form
- Include:** continuation sheets to SF 30 or similar form
- Exclude:** any attachments to SF 30 or similar form

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Michael

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3. Copies of all **contracts** issued by or on behalf of the Pantex Plant's Environmental Remediation Services Department to **MKM Engineers, Inc.** from **2000 to the present** with the following information:
 - a. Contract number
 - b. Contract title
 - c. Brief description of statement of work
 - d. Contract period of performance
 - e. Initial award value – dollar value if single award, ceiling amount if ID/IQ
 - f. Final contract value
 - g. Name of Pantex Contracting Officer
 - h. Name of Pantex Technical Representative
 - i. Whether contract award was competitive or sole source
 - j. If it was a competitive award, was it awarded on lowest price or best value?
 - k. **Include:** Uniform Contract Sections A through G
 - l. **Exclude:** Uniform Contract Sections H through K
 - m. **Exclude:** all contract attachments and enclosures

4. Copies of all **modifications to the above contracts** issued by or on behalf of the Pantex Plant's Environmental Remediation Services Department with **MKM Engineers, Inc.** from **2000 to the present** with the following information:
 - a. Contract number
 - b. Contract modification dollar value
 - c. **Include:** Standard Form 30 (SF 30) or similar form
 - d. **Include:** continuation sheets to SF 30 or similar form
 - e. **Exclude:** any attachments to SF 30 or similar form

Please note that this is not an emergency request so the standard response times will suffice.

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 23, 2008 9:08 AM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Charles S. Przybylek)

Organization: Wilton Road, LLC

Address:

5937 Wilton Road
Alexandria, Virginia 22310-2154

Phone: 703-960-3683

FAX: 703-960-3684

Email:

Record Description:

(NNSA's Performance Evaluation Report for the Period October 1, 2006 through September 30, 2007, Contract No. DE-AC05-00OR22800) The contractor is BWXT Y-12 (May be B&W Y-12 as a result of corporate reorganization). I understand that the document may be redacted to protect exempt information.

Preferred Form or Format: electronic preferred

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay all applicable fees.

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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N/A

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Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 23, 2008 3:13 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Arthur Perry Bruder)

Organization: DOE OGC GC-77

Address:

1000 Independence Ave. SW
Washington, DC 22085

Phone: (202) 586-3409

FAX: (202) 586-7479

Email:

Record Description:

Any materials of any sort pertaining to an EEOC complaint that was filed by

Preferred Form or Format:

Type of Requester (if provided):

An individual seeking information for personal use and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 25

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

concerns government's activities regarding the Priester complaint

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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1/24 Per discussion with requester, he
did not intend to request a fee waiver.
Fee waiver is not requested. ACR

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Smith

Morris, Alexander

From: Johnston, Robyne
Sent: Monday, July 28, 2008 10:32 AM
To: Morris, Alexander
Cc: Connors, Marlene; Whitworth, Fletcher
Subject: FW: request concerning cost of declassification review

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Chris,

Attache is a new FOIA Requests that was sent directly to HSS. Can your office please assign number and return to HSS for action?

Thanks

Robyne

-----Original Message-----

From: Weston-Dawkes, Andy
Sent: Friday, July 25, 2008 4:08 PM
To: Johnston, Robyne; Prospero, Nick; Chalk, Edie; Whitworth, Fletcher
Subject: Fw: request concerning cost of declassification review

Robyne

This is a new FOIA request.

Nick please add this to your list.

Andy

----- Original Message -----

From: Patrice McDermott <pmcdermott@openthegovernment.org>
To: Weston-Dawkes, Andy
Cc: 'Amy Alyce Fuller' <afuller@openthegovernment.org>; james.wendt@hq.doe.gov <james.wendt@hq.doe.gov>; Stein, Ken; Sikora, Carol
Sent: Fri Jul 25 12:52:48 2008
Subject: request concerning [Cost of declassification review]

Dr. Weston-Dawkes,

Every year my organization, OpenTheGovernment.org, puts out a Secrecy Report Card that includes information on classification, declassification and the costs related thereto. In 2006, we drew on some numbers that had been provided by the Office of Documents Review to the National Security Archive. William Burr at the National Security Archive told me that he thinks in 2006 he asked you for assistance in obtaining the information below. Your assistance in this would be greatly appreciated. I am aware of the unclassified report to Congress, but it does not contain the information we are seeking. Please consider this a FOIA request for the information specified below, if that is what is required. I would appreciate receiving this information by 15 August in order to update our report. We are seeking the numbers through 31 Dec 2007. This is the information given in 2006 to the Archive that I am attempting to update:

"...Under the 1998 Kyl-Lott amendments, DOE has spent \$22 million while surveying more than 200 million pages of released documents. DOE has reported to Congress that 6,640 pages have been withdrawn from public access (at a cost of \$3,313 per page).

Information provided by Mr. Kenneth Stein, Office of Classification, Department of Energy in e-mail, 8 August 2006. Mr. James Wendt, Office of Document Reviews, provided an annual breakdown for the expenditures: FY 99: 1.992M; FY 00: 3.582 M; FY 01: 3.653M; FY 02:

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3.852M; FY 03: 3.072M; FY 04: 2.482M; FY 05: 1.761M; FY 06: 1.313M; Total: 21.707M. E-mail, 10 August 2006."

Thank you for any assistance you can provide. It will be greatly appreciated.

Patrice McDermott, Director

OpenTheGovernment.org

www.openthegovernment.org

202.332.OPEN (6736)

Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Monday, July 28, 2008 1:43 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name (Debbie Duncan)

Organization: Northrop Grumman Shipbuiding Newport News

Address:

4101 Washington Avenue
Newport News, VA 23607

Phone: 757-688-8400

FAX:

Email: debora.duncan@ngc.com

Record Description:

I have a copy of the original contract for Oak Ridge Y-12 M&O (DE-AC05-00OR22800). What I would like to request all of the amendments/addendums/changes post the original contract issuance. This is my first request - I have no idea what to expect regarding fees, timeline, etc.

Preferred Form or Format: .pdf

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 25

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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John Templon

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July 7, 2008

Department of Energy
Director, FOIA/PA Division, ME-73
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

FOIA REQUEST

Fee waiver requested

Dear FOI Officer:

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I request access to and copies of all FOIA requests relating to Nuclear Fusion and Fission research from the time period of January 1, 2008 - June 30, 2008.

Please waive any applicable fees. Release of the information is in the public interest because it will contribute significantly to public understanding of government operations and activities.


If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material. I, of course, reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees.

As I am making this request as a scholar and this information is of timely value, I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone, rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request.

I look forward to your reply within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

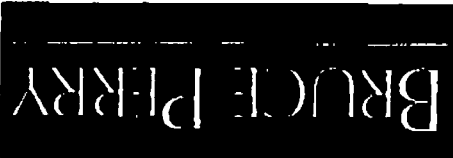
Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,


John Templon

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2 Snowmount Court, Rockville, MD 20850
Tel: 301-279-7175 • Fax: 301-279-7179

July 30, 2008

Abel Lopez

DOE
1000 Independence Ave.
Wash. D.C. 20250

Subject: FOIA Request for DOE Procurement Records
Dear Abel:

We request through the Freedom of Information Act the following information for products and services procured by

Period: 10/1/2007 to 6/30/2008 (FY 2008 Q1, Q2+Q3)

Purchase: All products and services sold by all companies and vendors to DOE

File Layout:

Column 1: LAST NAME

Column 2: FIRST NAME

Column 3: ADDRESS1

Column 4: ADDRESS2

Column 5: ADDRESS3

Column 6: ADDRESS4

Column 7: CH CITY

Column 8: CH STATE

Column 9: CH ZIP

Column 10: WORK PHONE

Column 11: BUSINESS EXT

Column 12: MCC CODE

Column 13: POSTING DATE

Column 14: BILL TRANS AMT

Column 15: MERCH DESCRIPTION

Column 16: MERCH STREET ADDRESS

Column 17: MERCH CITY

Column 18: MERCH STATE

Column 19: MERCH LOCATION ZIP

Column 20: MERCH LOCATION PHONE

Column 21: PRODUCT DESCRIPTION of MERCHANDISE PURCHASED

Please provide this in tab delimited electronic format on CD to us as soon as possible. Contact me at 301-279-7175 as soon as you have the data available, or if you have any questions.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Bruce Perry
Bruce Perry

301 279 7175

bruce@mbhsale.net

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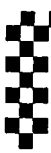
Rockville, MD 20850

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FOIA Request Form



U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Requester's Name: Carl A. Swensson Jr.

*Carl A. Swensson Jr.
7-25-08*

Address:

Phone Number (optional)

Fax Number (optional):

E-Mail (optional):

Subject: Conspiracy to cover up vital Energy resources

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In order to help to determine status to assess fees, select:

An individual seeking information for personal use

Affiliated with an educational or noncommercial institution, and this request is made for a scholarly purpose

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for use in the company's business

A representative of the news media and this request is made part of news gathering and not for commercial use

Purpose: To make Americans aware of information pertaining to oil wells already drilled and capped in or around Gull Island (5 miles off the coast of Prudhoe Bay, Alaska) and the surrounding areas, which have proven large oil fields.

Enter maximum amount you are willing to pay: \$100.00

Explanation for a request for a waiver of fees: I am requesting this information as a concerned citizen.

Additional Comments: This information could be used in a criminal conspiracy investigation. The purpose of such an investigation would expose a cover up of information related to Energy independence and price manipulation for the purpose of artificially inflating oil prices.

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Ronald K. Weeks

July 7, 2008

Department of Energy
Kevin Hagerty
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

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RE: FOIA REQUEST

Dear Mr. Hagerty:

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 USC § 552, I request the following record of the most ~~current federal civilian data~~ file to include:

- 1) Name of Employee
- 2) Current position title
- 3) Employee work address of record (current work station)
- 4) Current pay grade and step
- 5) Current annual salary including locality pay
- 6) Employee's Service Computation Date

I request the information be provided ~~for the Metropolitan Statistical Area~~ (City) of Atlanta, GA

I further request the data file be provided in .csv electronic format.

I agree to pay applicable fees for processing my FOIA request, however, please notify me prior to incurring expense in excess of \$250.00.

If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the Act.

I look forward to your reply within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,


Ronald K. Weeks

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225 Peachtree Street NE • Suite 1440 • Atlanta, GA 30303 • 404-420-1001 • rweeks@ebainc.net

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July 1, 2008

Secretary of Energy Department
Department of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington D.C. 20585

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Dear Mr. Secretary:

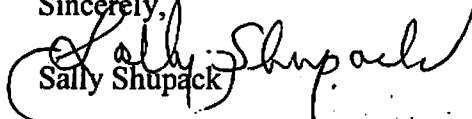
I'm writing to request your assistance in determining the following:

1. Contractual relationship between the Dept. of Energy and Spencer Chemical Company/Kansas City Offices from 1958-1963.
2. Contractual relationship between the Dept. of Energy and Spencer Chemical Company/Jayhawk Works from 1958-1963.
3. Copies of documents that shows the contractual relationship whereby Spencer Chemical Company provided enriched uranium and thorium for the nuclear weapons program and was paid monies for this product.
4. How did you establish that Spencer Chemical Company of Kansas City was a DOE contractor with eligibility for Part E benefits?
5. How did you establish that Spencer Chemical Company/Jawhawk Works was a AWE?
6. Please provide the documents to me that support your conclusions as above under the freedom of information act. I need this information to support my Part E claim with the Department of Labor.

Spencer Chemical Company was granted a SEC status as a Special Energy Cohort on June 26, 2008 by the Advisory Board. Does this affect the claim under Part E?

Thanks for your assistance in this matter as I would like to get these issues resolved. If you have any questions, I may be reached at _____ or by mail at _____

Sincerely,


Sally Shupack

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Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 30, 2008 5:23 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: Mrs (Rajitha Uppalli)

Organization: FedSources, Inc.

Address:

8400 Westpark Dr, 4th floor, McLean, VA 22102

Phone: 703-610-8745

FAX:

Email: uppallir@fedsources.com

Record Description:

Please provide all clearly releasable copy of Section A or the cover page of any contract awarded from solicitation # 08304. This is related to ADMINISTRATION OF THE NINE PROGRAM.

The Administrator for this program is Emelda Selph. She can be reached at 505-844-7522 or erselph@sandia.gov.

Preferred Form or Format: Electronic Format

Type of Requester (if provided):

Affiliated with a private corporation and seeking information for the use in the company's business.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I agree to pay up to a specified amount for fees. Enter amount \$ 75.00

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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Morris, Alexander

From: FOIA-Central@hq.doe.gov
Sent: Wednesday, July 30, 2008 5:11 PM
To: FOIA-Central
Subject: DOE Headquarters FOIA Request

Name: (Sarah Dorsey)

Organization: The Sunlight Foundation

Address:

1818 N St NW, Ste 410
Washington, DC 20036

Phone: 202-742-1520 X245

FAX: 202-742-1524

Email: sdorsey@sunlightfoundation.com

Record Description:

I am requesting copies of the following documents:

Any and (all correspondence), including but not limited to e-mail, letters, faxes and phone memos, (regarding any and all of the four Department of Energy loan guarantee programs announced in June 2008) received by the Department of Energy between January 1, 2004 and July 30, 2008, from entities including but not limited to individuals, members of Congress, organizations and companies. Please include all replies from the agency.

We would like this to be an agency-wide search of correspondence and prefer to receive it in electronic format. This could be in formats including but not limited to Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Access, comma delimited or tab delimited.

Preferred Form or Format: We prefer to receive it in electronic format. This could be in formats including but not limited to Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Access, comma delimited, tab delimited.

Type of Requester (if provided):

A representative of the news media affiliated with The Sunlight Foundation and the request is made as part of news gathering and not for commercial use.

Type of Media (if provided):

Other: Web site

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

The requested records concern official correspondence that shaped the development of an important federal program.

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

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3. The requested records will be used to build a publicly-accessible web-based database of government programs. It is necessary to know whose input contributed to the federal loan guarantee program to understand the process by which the program was developed and approved.

3. The contribution to an understanding by the general public of the subject likely to result from disclosure, taking into account your ability and intent to disseminate the information to the public in a form that can further understanding of the subject matter.

Since its inception two years ago, Sunlight has funded many projects that have broadened public knowledge about government, including Congresspedia.org and Fortune 535. We also funded OMB Watch, which created www.fedspending.org, which just received its 10 millionth search, and gets about 1 million searches per month. Our work receives wide press coverage, from CNN to the New York Times to popular blogs. These records will be used for a project that, like fedspending.org, will be publicly accessible and which we expect will get wide press coverage.

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

The loan guarantee program about which we are requesting disclosure is potentially worth billions of federal dollars. Understanding the process by which the program developed is of great importance to taxpayers.

5. The existence and magnitude of a commercial interest: Whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure, and, if so

The Sunlight Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonpartisan non-profit organization. Our interest in the records is to advance public knowledge about government, not to profit financially from the disclosure. Sunlight disseminates information to concerned citizens, policymakers, and the media via its Web site at www.sunlightfoundation.com.

6. The primary interest in disclosure: Whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, in comparison with the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester."

See above.

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing: