



Department of Energy
Richland Operations Office
P.O. Box 550
Richland, Washington 99352

CERTIFIED MAIL

March 25, 2010

Mr. Mel Crawford
MacDonald Hoague & Bayless
705 Second Avenue, Suite 1500
Seattle, Washington 98104

Dear Mr. Crawford:

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST (FOI 2010-01055)

You requested, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), records setting forth the amount of attorneys' fees and costs billed to, or submitted to, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in the following lawsuits: Travis V. Fluor Hanford, Inc., No. 2:06-CV-5017, Hughes v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., No. 2:06-cv-5063, Ford v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., No. 2:06-cv-5002 and Somers v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., No. 07-2-00366-2.

Enclosed are the documents located for Travis v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., Hughes v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., and Ford v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., through March 16, 2010. We have conducted a thorough search and there was no record of attorney fees or costs being billed or submitted to the Department of Energy in the Somers v. Fluor Hanford, Inc., case. This search was conducted by those within the agency who are most familiar with the subject matter of your request, in locations where documents would most likely be found.

The undersigned individual is responsible for this determination. You have the right to appeal to the Office of Hearings and Appeals, as provided in 10 CFR 1004.8, for the adequacy of our search. Any such appeal shall be made in writing to the following address: Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals (HG-1), U.S. Department of Energy, L'Enfant Plaza Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, D.C. 20585-1615, and shall be filed within 30 days after receipt of this letter. Should you choose to appeal, please provide this office with a copy of your letter.

There will be no charge for reproduction, search or review costs as fees were minimal. If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact me at our address above or on (509) 376-6288.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dorothy Riehle".

Dorothy Riehle
Freedom of Information Act Officer
Office of Communications
and External Affairs

OCE:DCR

Enclosures

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Travis v. FHI								
Lawfirm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
LW59	7/10/06	7/25/06	\$169.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$169.20
LW60	8/10/06	8/31/06	\$3,156.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$299.53	\$3,455.58
LW61	9/11/06	9/20/06	\$2,996.25	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,996.25
			<u>\$6,321.50</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$299.53</u>	<u>\$6,621.03</u>
								\$14,487.63

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Hughes v. FHI								
Lawfirm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
41-101207	10/12/07	11/2/07	\$183.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10.68	\$194.28
41-110907	11/9/07	11/21/07	\$2,280.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$97.41	\$2,378.36
41-121807	12/18/07	12/28/07	\$256.03	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$23.05	\$279.08
41-021408	2/14/08	2/27/08	\$132.30	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$23.76	\$156.06
41-031808	3/18/08	3/24/08	\$88.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.30	\$88.50
			\$2,941.08	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$155.20	\$3,096.28
								\$3,096.28

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Hughes v. FHI								
Lawfirm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
LW72	11/10/06	12/21/06	\$2,667.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$97.60	\$2,765.20
LW73	12/14/06	1/11/07	\$2,713.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$101.15	\$2,814.15
LW74	1/12/07	1/24/07	\$2,781.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$126.99	\$2,908.59
LW75	2/8/07	3/21/07	\$1,482.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.32	\$1,485.32
LW76	3/16/07	4/4/07	\$296.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$296.40
LW77	4/13/07	5/23/07	\$324.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.40	\$324.40
LW78	5/11/07	5/30/07	\$108.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$108.00
LW79	6/13/07	7/9/07	\$61.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$61.20
LW80	7/16/07	8/6/07	\$81.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$81.60
			\$10,515.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$329.46	\$10,844.86
								\$10,844.86

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Ford III v. FHI								
Lawfirm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
LW54	10/9/06	11/30/06	\$6,571.78	\$129.38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$350.32	\$7,051.48
LW55	11/10/06	12/18/06	\$5,335.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21.78	\$5,356.98
LW56	12/14/06	1/11/07	\$1,846.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.32	\$1,846.32
LW57	1/12/07	1/24/07	\$45.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.40	\$48.00
			<u>\$13,798.58</u>	<u>\$129.38</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$374.82</u>	<u>\$14,302.78</u>
								\$14,302.78

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Ford III v. FHI								
Lawfirm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
LW50	6/9/06	7/11/06	\$5,308.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$552.76	\$5,861.41
LW51	7/10/06	7/25/06	\$6,985.18	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$366.59	\$7,351.77
LW52	8/10/06	8/31/06	\$1,258.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$7.01	\$1,265.44
LW53	9/11/06	9/20/06	\$3,056.18	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$52.77	\$3,108.95
			\$16,608.44	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$979.13	\$17,587.57
								\$17,587.57

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Lawfirm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Law firm: HALVERSON & SAUNDERS								
LW62	10/9/06	11/30/06	\$4,634.20	\$129.38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$32.34	\$4,795.92
LW63	11/10/06	12/18/06	\$7,843.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$27.39	\$7,870.59
LW64	12/14/06	1/11/07	\$6,384.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$142.15	\$6,526.15
LW65	1/12/07	1/24/07	\$1,254.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$93.35	\$1,347.35
LW66	2/8/07	3/21/07	\$1,071.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,071.60
LW67	3/16/07	4/4/07	\$8,139.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$165.09	\$8,304.69
LW68	4/13/07	5/30/07	\$25,902.00	\$24.07	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$621.32	\$26,547.39
LW69	5/11/07	5/30/07	\$11,030.80	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$814.54	\$11,895.34
LW70	6/13/07	6/28/07	\$31,499.40	\$686.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,201.90	\$33,388.27
LW71	7/16/07	8/7/07	\$47,266.80	\$1,293.93	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,083.45	\$49,644.18
			\$145,075.60	\$2,134.35	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,181.53	\$151,391.48
								\$151,391.48