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Ms. Herb,

I have included a draft of the Joint Status Report due in EPIC v. FBI (No. 12-667) as we discussed in our call this afternoon. As I mentioned, our proposal includes for a sample Vaughn index within 30 days followed by a status report 30 days later. We are also interested in the FBI's offer you described - to process a sample of documents and release the new terms - but we prefer that the Vaughn be produced first. I look forward to hearing from you.