

## U.S. Election Assistance Commission 1335 East West Highway, Suite 4300 Silver Spring, MD 20910

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RF:

Request for Records under the

Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Reference No. FOIA Request 18-00032

Dear Mr. Butler & Mr. Rotenberg:

This is in response to a Freedom of Information Act request (FOIA 18-00032) forwarded to the EAC by Toni Fuentes, Director, FOIA, National Protection and Programs Directorate, U.S. Department of Homeland Security. The record attributed to the EAC is a power point presentation created by the EAC and used in a DHS presentation. We are including the power point in response to your request and there are no other documents responsive to this request.

If you interpret any portion of this response as an adverse action, you may appeal this decision to the Election Assistance Commission. Your appeal must be in writing and sent to the address noted on the above letterhead. Please include your reasons for reconsideration and attach a copy of this and subsequent EAC responses.

If you have any questions regarding this response, you may contact me at bwhitener@eac.gov or by calling me at (301) 563-3961.

Sincerely,

Bryan Whitener FOIA Officer

Director, National Clearinghouse on Elections

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Attachments: FOIA Request 18-00032 received July 18, 2018; file containing the power point presentation (EAC - Critical Infrastructure 101)

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July 16, 2018

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RE: <u>EPIC v. DHS</u>, 1:17-cv-02047 (D.D.C.) NPPD FOIA Case Number 2017-NPFO-00430

During our search for responsive records, we located records that originated within the U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC). Therefore, I am transferring these responsive documents to the EAC for processing under the FOIA and direct response to you. Please find their contact information below:

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If you have any questions regarding this release, please contact Marcia Sowles, U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch at <a href="Marcia.Sowles@usdoj.gov">Marcia.Sowles@usdoj.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

T. Fuentes Director, FOIA