

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

ELECTRONIC PRIVACY INFORMATION CENTER

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Defendant.

No. 18-1814 (TNM)

Joint Status Report

Defendant United States Department of Justice (“DOJ”) jointly with Plaintiff Electronic Privacy Information Center (“EPIC”), by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully submit this joint status report pursuant to the Court’s October 22, 2018, Minute Order in this Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”) case.

The parties report to the Court as follows:

1. The parties have reviewed the status of EPIC’s FOIA Requests and have scheduled a teleconference to discuss the agency’s search capabilities and search methodologies.
2. The parties require additional time to determine the scope of issues in dispute and to agree upon a schedule for further proceedings. Thus, the parties respectfully request that they be permitted to file a joint status report on or before November 20, 2018, to advise the Court of the proposed schedule for proceedings in this case.

Dated: November 6, 2018

Respectfully Submitted,

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