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Washington, D.C. 20530

June 14, 2013

David Brody
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Re: FOIA Tracking No. FY13-055

Dear Mr. Brody:

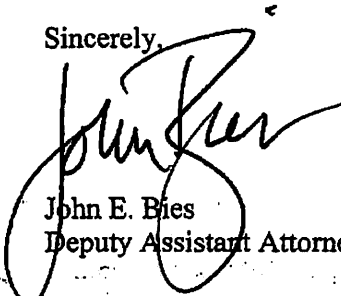
This letter acknowledges receipt of your Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") request to the Office of Legal Counsel ("OLC"), dated June 6, 2013, and seeking all OLC "final legal analyses, memoranda, and opinions regarding the PRISM program." We received your request on June 7, 2013, and it has been assigned tracking number **FY13-055**.

Your request for expedited processing has been granted. Because of the considerable number of FOIA requests received by OLC before your request, including other previously expedited requests, our staff has not yet been able to complete a search to determine whether there are records within the scope of your request. I regret the necessity of this delay, but I assure you that your request will be given priority and processed as soon as practicable.

We have not yet made a decision on your request for a fee waiver. We will do so after we determine whether fees will be assessed for this request.

In the meantime, if you have any questions or wish to discuss your request, you may contact Elizabeth Farris, our Supervisory Paralegal and FOIA contact, at (202) 514-2038, or at Office of Legal Counsel, United States Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20530.

Sincerely,


John E. Bies
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