



U.S. Department of Justice  
Drug Enforcement Administration

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Case Number: 09- 0849 -F

Subject: MEMORANDA OR BUDGETARY DOCUMENTS THAT DETAIL THE TOTAL AMOUNT ACTUALLY SPENT OR THE AMOUNT BUDGETED TO BE SPENT BY THE DEA TO ACCESS THE PACER SYSTEM, ETC.

Carl Malamud  
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Sebastopol, California 95472

Dear Mr. Malamud:

This letter responds to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Act (FOI/PA) request dated May 20, 2009, received by the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), FOI/Records Management Section, Operations Unit (SARO), seeking access to DEA records.

Your request has been opened and assigned the above case number. Please include this case number when corresponding with this office.

We regret the delay in responding to your initial request letter. We are at this time experiencing a large volume of incoming FOI/PA requests that has adversely impacted our response time to the public. However, this matter has not impacted the quality of our service and our dedication to the public at large, including your request.

This letter confirms your obligation that by filing your request, you have agreed to pay all applicable fees charged under 28 C.F.R. § 16.11, up to \$25.00.

In order to expedite all requests, your request will be handled in chronological order based on the date of this letter. If you have any questions regarding this letter, you may contact our Customer Service Hotline Representative on (202) 307-7596 or mail your correspondence to:

DEA HEADQUARTERS  
ATTN: OPERATIONS UNIT (SARO)  
8701 MORRISSETTE DRIVE  
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Sincerely,

Katherine L. Myrick  
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FOI/Records Management Section