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Request No: 1133758-000
Subject: PACER SYSTEM /WESTLAW/
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Dear Mr. Malamud:

The purpose of this letter is to advise you of the status of your pending Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request at the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). Currently the FBI is searching for, retrieving, scanning, and evaluating files that may be responsive to your request. Many factors may contribute to the time required to process your request; however, the greatest single factor is the number of documents associated with your request.

Once your files have been evaluated as potentially responsive, your request will be forwarded to the "perfected backlog", where your request will wait for assignment to an analyst.

You may inquire as to the status of your request by calling the FBI's FOIPA Public Information Center at 540-868-4593.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David M. Hardy", is written over a horizontal line.

David M. Hardy
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