



November 12, 2014

Mitchell Stoltz  
Electronic Frontier Foundation  
815 Eddy Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109

Dear Mr. Stoltz,

This letter serves as the final response to your April 9, 2014 revised Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) for correspondence (FOIA Log #DOC-NIST-2014-000658).

NIST has completed the actual search for responsive records and:

- Seven (7) documents consisting of fifty-six pages are being released in their entirety,
- Thirty-three (33) files on the enclosed disk are being released in their entirety,
- One (1) document consisting of eight (8) pages is being released with redactions pursuant to FOIA exemption 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(4),
- One (1) file on the enclosed disk is being released with redactions pursuant to FOIA exemption 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(6) and with portions that are non-responsive to your request (those portions are redacted and marked “NR” on the document),
- Three (3) documents consisting of fourteen (14) pages are being withheld in their entirety pursuant to FOIA exemption 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(4), and
- Two (2) documents on the enclosed disk originated with other federal agencies. The documents have been transferred to those agencies for review and direct reply to you. The FOIA office contact information for these agencies is:

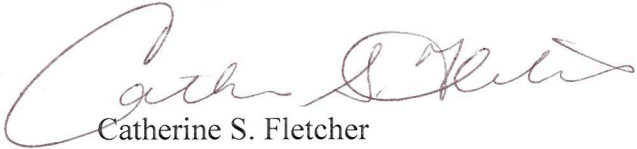
FOIA Officer  
U.S. General Services Administration  
FOIA Requester Service Center (H1C)  
1800 F. Street, NW, Room 7308  
Washington, DC 20405-0001

FOIA Officer  
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development  
Freedom of Information Act Office  
451 7th Street, SW, Room 10139  
Washington, DC 20410-3000

You have the right to appeal this (partial denial or denial) of the FOIA request. An appeal must be received within 30 calendar days of the date of this response letter by the Assistant General Counsel for Administration (Office), Room 5898-C, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230. Your appeal may also be sent by e-mail to

[FOIAAppeals@doc.gov](mailto:FOIAAppeals@doc.gov) , by facsimile (fax) to 202-482-2552, or by FOIAonline, if you have an account in FOIAonline, at <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home#>. The appeal must include a copy of the original request, this response to the request and a statement of the reason why the withheld records should be made available and why denial of the records was in error. The submission (including e-mail, fax, and FOIAonline submissions) is not complete without the required attachments. The appeal letter, the envelope, the e-mail subject line, and the fax cover sheet should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." The e-mail, fax machine, FOIAonline, and Office are monitored only on working days during normal business hours (8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, Monday through Friday). FOIA appeals posted to the e-mail box, fax machine, FOIAonline, or Office after normal business hours will be deemed received on the next normal business day.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Catherine S. Fletcher".

Catherine S. Fletcher  
Freedom of Information Act Officer

Enclosures