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Re: OLA/05-R0543

Dear Dr. Kelley:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated March 17, 2005, which was received in this Office on April 6, 2005, in which you requested (1) the number of reports filed by the Department of Justice under Title II, Section 202 (A), (B) of PL 107-273 and (2) copies of those reports. During our telephone conversation you confirmed that you wanted copies of the reports filed by the Department of Justice under Title II, Section 202 (A), (B) of PL 107-273 and are, therefore, not interested in reports filed under Section 202(C) pertaining to the settlements of claims and suits. This response is being made on behalf of the Office of Legislative Affairs.

Because the records you seek require a search in another Office, our staff has not yet been able to complete a search to determine whether there are records within the scope of your request. Accordingly, we will be unable to comply with the twenty-working-day time limit in this case, as well as the ten additional days provided by the statute. In an effort to speed up our records search, you may wish to narrow the scope of your request to limit the number of potentially responsive records or agree to an alternative time frame for processing, should records be located; or you may wish to await the completion of our records search to discuss either of these options.

In accordance with Department of Justice regulation 28 C.F.R. § 16.3(c) (2003), this letter also confirms your agreement to incur all applicable fees involved in the processing of your request, up to the amount of \$25. In your letter you agreed to pay fees up to \$100.

I regret the necessity of this delay, but I assure you that your request will be processed as soon as possible. If you have any questions or wish to discuss reformulation or an alternative time frame for the processing of your request, you may contact me by telephone at the above number or you may write to me at the above address.

Sincerely,

Dustin Mullins
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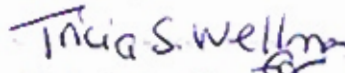
Dear Dr. Kelley:

This is an interim response to your letter dated March 17, 2005, and received in this Office on April 6, 2005, in which you requested the number of reports filed to date by the Department of Justice under Title II, Section 202 (A), (B) of PL 107-273, as well as copies of those reports. This response is made on behalf of the Offices of Legislative Affairs and Legal Policy.

We conducted a records search in the Office of Legislative Affairs, and no records responsive to your request were located. For your information, we have initiated a records search in the Office of Legal Policy, and will respond to you again once that search is completed.

If you consider my response regarding the lack of responsive records in the Office of Legislative Affairs to be a denial of your request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information and Privacy, United States Department of Justice, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Suite 11050, Washington, DC 20530-0001, within sixty days from the date of this letter. Both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Sincerely,


Melanie Ann Pustay
Deputy Director