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SOL-2007-0052

### United States Department of the Interior

OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR Washington, D.C. 20240

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This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") request dated July 29, 2007, filed with the Office of the Solicitor ("SOL"), which we received on August 02, 2007. Your FOIA request was assigned control number SOL-2007-0052. Please cite this number in any future correspondence you send to SOL regarding this request.

In your FOIA request, you sought an electronic copy of the "FOIA Case Logs...for the time period FY2005 and FY2006 and FY2007-to-date." SOL has examined its files carefully and is enclosing a copy of our FOIA log from January 1, 2006 until the present, nineteen pages. SOL has searched its files for the years prior, 2004 and 2005, and we are unable to locate any documents responsive to that portion of your request. Under 43 CFR 2.7(d), a bureau is not required to create or compile a record to respond to a FOIA request. The Act applies only to records in the SOL possession and control as of the date the SOL begins its search for responsive records.

If you consider this response to be a denial of your request, you may appeal this matter by writing to:

Department of the Interior Office of the Solicitor 1849 C Street, N.W., MS: 6556 - MIB Washington, DC 20240 Attn: FOIA Appeals Office

Your appeal must be received no later than 30 workdays after the date of the final response or 30 workdays after you receive any records that are released. A copy of your initial request and this letter must accompany the appeal, along with any information you have which leads you to believe the records do exist, including where they might be found, if the location is known to you. The appeal should be marked "FREEDOM OF INFORMATION APPEAL" on both the envelope and the face of the letter.

Since you are considered a "media use requester," the cost is broken down as follows: 1 hour search time, at no cost to you; less than 15 minutes of review time, at no cost to you; and the duplication of nineteen pages at \$0.13 per page, with the first 100 pages at no cost to you, is \$0. There is no chargeable fee for the processing of this FOIA request. Moreover, the SOL does not bill requesters for FOIA fees incurred when their fees do not exceed \$30.00, after the subtraction of their entitlements. (See 43 C.F.R. § 2.18(b)(2)).

This completes the SOL's response to your FOIA request. Should you have any questions, please contact Judy Herbert at (202) 208 -6503.

Sincerely,

Christina M. Bartlett

FOIA Officer

Division of Administration

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Enclosure

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			ough September 30, 2008
Aurene M. Martin	3/15/2006	06-DIA-7	lone Band of Miwok
Lillian Gonzales- Torres	5/1/2006		Request for a copy of the Investigation Report Regarding and incident that occurred on June 18, 2003 @ approx. 8:00p, on the Fort Berthold Reservation.
Mark Segraves	7/11/2006	SOL-2006-0	missing for the year 2001 to 2006
Ryan Malone	8/3/2006	SOL-2007-0	Request certain information relating to any request by the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, a Mississippi Tribe, that DOI take lands in the state Mississippi into trust on behalf of the Tribe.
Elida A. Malick	10/12/2006	SOL-2008-0	lone Indian Lands Determination and all associated documents
Michael L. McNaughton	10/13/2006	SOL-2007-0	The Northern Indiana Public Service Company (NIPSCO) with regard to coal combustion byproducts.
Michael L. McNaughton	10/18/2006	SOL-2007-0	Fly Ash Contamination)
Dick Minnis	10/27/2006	SOL-2008-0	Secretary, James Cason, concerning the retored lands determination.
David O. Stewart	12/1/2006	SOL-2007-0	Records pertaining to any request by the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians that DOI take lands in the State of Mississippi into trust on behalf of the Tribe
Justine Augustine	12/22/2006	SOL-2007-0	Any and all comments and records related to the Center for Biological Diversity's petition to list the "Sonoran desert-nesting population of the bald eagle as a distinct population segment and reclassify the population from its current threatened status to endangered under the Endangered Species Act. I am particilarly interested in any and all emails related to the subject petition from or to the following individuals, as well as any phone notes, faxes, or other documents related to the petition, created by, in the files of, or sent from or to, the following individuals: Julie McDonald, Christine Nolin, Michelle Morgan, and Douglas Krofta.
Leah H. Ziemba	12/22/2006	SOL-2007-0	Copies of the Oneida Nation of New York Conveyance of Lands Into Trust in Oneida and Madsion Counties, NY
Kate Fite	1/9/2007		Request for documents relating to the slickspot peppergrass.
S. Todd Parks	1/11/2007	SOL-2007-0	Skylane Helicopters, L.L.C., Our File: 1559/66078
Chief Brenda Commander	1/29/2007	SOL-2007-0	Requesting FOIA documentation on Chief Brenda Commander.
Ryan Malone	2/21/2007	SOL-2007-0	of Florida into trust onbehalf of the Tribe.
John R. Wilhelm	2/21/2007	SOL-2008-0	NEPA Trust to Trust Transfer Documents
Beth M. Daley	3/2/2007	SOL-2007-0	All copies memos, policy directives, emails, letters, research, analyses, and communications concerning: the court fuling Fina Oil and chemical Company v. Gale Norton, 332 F.3d 672; and Gas royalty valuation for sales involving "marketing affiliates" as defined under Section 206.151 of the Federal Gas Valuation Rule.
Alice Keane	3/5/2007	SOL-2007-6	Seeking records from the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation, US DOI, or any other entity or individual, in the possession or control of the Nat'l Indian Gaming Commission.
Donald L. Kilgore	3/7/2007	SOL-2008-	FOIA Requests Regarding the Proposed MBCI Gaming Enterprise and Land to Trust Application in Jackson County, Mississippi
Robert Russo	3/8/2007	SOL-2007-	

Mark C. Tilden	3/12/2007	January 4, 2006 through S	epsengaedathistlettative documents in 22 separate categories broadly pertaining to the
			Shinnecock Indian Nation (Petitioner #4), its members, "local parties," "interested parties," and/or its "legal representatives" from Januarty 1, 1977, to December 31, 1990
Dan Van Mechelen	3/28/2007	SOL-2007-0031	Requesting IBIA decision IBIA 90-60 the Estate of Peter Alvin Ward decided Feb. 5, 1991 and a copy of that document that is identified there as: "Memorandum of the Acting Associate Solicitor, DIA, to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, March 18, 1980.
John Whittaker, IV	4/13/2007	SOL-2007-0035	copies of all agency records from May16, 2003 to April 9, 2007, FERC including any recommendations submitted to FERC with respect to any such project: Bryson Hydroelectric Project no. 2601, Dillsboro Hydroelectric Project no. 2602, Franklin Hydroelectric Project no. 2603, Mission Hydroelectric Project no. 2619, West Fork Hydroelectric Project no. 2686, Nantahala Hydroelectric Project no. 2692, East Fork Hydroelectric Project no. 2698
John C. Martin	4/17/2007	-	Pertaining to General Chemical Partners v. BLM
			See the Attached Memo for more info
Joe Trow	4/23/2007	SOL-2008-0028	Miscellaneous
Joe Trow	4/23/2007	SOL-2008-0029	Miscellaneous
Joe Trow	4/23/2007	SOL-2008-0030	Miscellaneous
Dacie L. Houck	5/1/2007	SOL-2007-0019	Request FOIA documentation on Dacie L. Houck.
Christian, Cathy	5/1/2007	SOL-2007-0024	Requesting FOIA documentation for Cathy Christian.
Dennis Drabelle	5/4/2007	SOL-2007-0036	seeks information pertaining to "Nathaniel P. Reed, who was assistant secretary of the interior for FWS from 1977-77
Cathy Christian	5/14/2007	SOL-2007-0038	Requesting documents reflecting any Indian Lands Determination or any Fee-to-Trust Applications submitted by the Guildeville Band of Pomo Indians
William J. Snape III	6/4/2007		Request on Interior Secretartal Order 3226 (Evaluating Climate Change Impacts in Management Planning)
Warren, Daniel T.	6/20/2007	SOL-2007-0043	Requesting information on Seneca, Cayuga, Oneida, Mohawk, Tuscarora and Onondaga Indians - documents relative to teh conduct of and the results of the votes of the members of each Tribe.
Niels Holch	6/23/2007	SOL-2007-0045	Copies of all correspondence to DOI since January 1, 2007, referring to the following subject matter: (1) the Class III Gaming Compact between the Oneida Indian Nation of New York and the State of New York; or (2) a letter sent on March 15, 2007 regarding the same oneida nation-State of New York Class III Gaming Compact
Philip McGrady	6/26/2007	SOL-2007-0069	Copies of all records, correspondence, emails, letters and other documents, in whatever form, related to the "Nance-Brown Coal Property" located in Rosebud County, Montana.
Bob Cusack	7/10/2007	SOL-2007-0049	FOIA log maintained bye DOI. Information in the log should include, but not be limited to, the name of the requester, name of the affiliated entity and the documents and/or information requested since January 1, 2007 up until the date this request is processed.
Mark Tilden	7/23/2007	SOL-2007-0050	Seeking information pertaining to the Shinnecock Indian Nation and Land in the Town of Southampton, NY. Answered by letter dated Aug. 17, 2007, in conjunction with response signed by Director, Office of Federal Acknowledgment.
Dale T. White	7/25/2007	SOL-2007-0046	FOIA request seeks any and all documents, records, or correspondence received by the Office of the Solicitor from Thomas L. Sansonetti or Holland & Hart, LLP from January 1, 2006 onward, pertaining to the St. Regis Mohwak Tribe.

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Michael Ravnitzky	8/2/2007	SOL-2007-0052	Copy of the FOIA case logs for your office for the time period FY2005 and FY2006 and FY2007-to-date.
Caroline Kennedy	8/6/2007	SOL-2008-0010	Annual reports and other related correspondence from January 1, 1992 to Januarty 1, 2003 from the state of Alaska regarding its aerial gunning programs, all other states that have authorized permits under the Airborne Hunting Act, discussing state compliance or lack thereof with the reporting requirement of the Act, specifically section 742j1(b)(2), Any records discussing or documenting airborne hunting actions by U.S.D.A. Wildlife Services program that are not included in 742j1(b) annual reports, Any records discussing Defenders' 2004 Request for Clarification and Re-Consideration of its petition for rulemaking to limit or disallow the planned shooting of Alaskan Wolves under the Airborne Hunting Act.
Alex Knott	8/7/2007	SOL-2007-0063	Seeking a copy of "a log of all FOIA requests between 2000 and the current date.
Harrigan, Christopher	8/10/2007	SOO-07-031	FOIA Requester Christopher Harrigan (Hiscock & Barclay). SOL review of BIA's documents to be withheld. Requestor asks for information concerning the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe's application to place any lands located in New York in trust.
Leah H. Ziemba	8/22/2007	SOL-2007-0054	Seeking information pertaining to the Oneida Indian Nation of New York
Paul Konigstein	8/27/2007	SOL-2007-0056	a List of all the FOIA requests submitted to DOI from October 1, 2005 to the present
Leah H. Ziemba	8/29/2007	SOL-2007-0055	Seeking information pertaining to the Oneida Indian Nation of New York
Justin Rood	8/30/2007	SOL-2007-0058	Copies of the FOIA request logs for the period between June 1, 2007 and July 31, 2007.
Jeff Ruch	8/31/2007	SOL-2007-0060	Seeking information pertaining to "contracts for non-representational services by a lawyer entered into by SOL"
Dale T. White	9/5/2007	SOL-2007-0051	Seeking any and all documents, records, or correspondence received by the Office of the Solicitor from Boies, Schiller & Flexner, LLP; Harrah's Entertainment, Inc., Harrah's Operating Company, Inc., Clive Cummins; and Sills Cummins Epstein & Gross P.C. from 1/1/2006 onward, pertaining to the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe."
Robert Purdy	9/5/2007	SOL-2007-0062	Requesting information regarding the status of lands acquired in 2006 by the Prairie Band of Potawatomie Nation near Shabbona in DeKalb County, IL and if they would qualify for gaming.
Samuel Begley	9/11/2007	SOL-2007-0057	Requesting information on Mississippi Band of Choctaw recognition and land-into-trust
Donald Mitchell	9/18/2007	SOL-2007-0065	FOIA Request of Donald C. Mitchell re: Ione Band of Miwok Indians. Request seeks to review and copy all documents and other records of the DOI offices at Washington, DC, Sacramento, CA; and all other locations, regarding, or that relate in any way to, the determination by Commissioner Bruce, Assist. Secretary Deer and other DOI employees that the members of the Ione Band of Miwok Indians are (or are not) emmbers of a federally tribe.
M. Frances Aver	9/21/2007	SOL-2007-0064	Request a copy of all records pertaining to the legal analysis being conducted by the National Indian Gaming Commission regarding the "Indian lands" status of lands owned by the Prairie Band of Potawatomi Nation within the boundaries of lands reserved by Chief Shab-eh-nay and his band near the village of Shabbona in DeKabl County, Illinois.
Nicole J. Rosmarino	9/25/2007	SOL-2007-0066	Any Correspondence between FWS, DOI and/or Dine Power Authority and/or the Navajo Nation
C. Dean McGrath JR.	9/26/2007	SOL-2007-0067	FOIA request for Documents and Records Relating to the Quapaw Tribe of Oklahoma

Patty Brandt	10/2/2007	SOL-2008-0002	Determination of waiver for fees associated with processing this FOIA request - Habematolel Pomo of Upper Lake.
Donald Mitchell	10/9/2007	SOL-2008-0004	Review and copy all documents and other records contained in, or which relate in any way to docket no. IBIA 88-16-A. (Lytton Indian community of the Lytton Rancheria)
David Donato	10/12/2007	SOL-2008-0005	Request copies of documents or compilations sufficient to show the nature, status, and (where complete) outcome of all administrative and legal complaints filed by current and former employees of the U.S. Gerological Survery because of adverse job actions associated in any way with, or resulting from, the Geologic Division reduction in force (GD RIF) which took place circa 1995.
Tim Vollmann	10/15/2007	SOL-2008-0007	Requesting a copy of memo, dated Sept. 28, 1976, from myself and addressed to my supervisor, Lawrence Aschenbrenner, the subject of the memo being "The Nature of Aboriginal Title"
Lee Alcott	10/18/2007	SOL-2008-0003	Requesting documents on behalf of Cayuga Nation of New York, seeking "any and all correspondence or other documents furnished to any representative of your office or the Department of the Interior concerning the Nation by any person or entity other than members of the undersigned law firm or the Nation's predecessor firm, Green & Seifter, Attorneys, PLLC from April 1, 2005, to the present, together with any response from any representative of your office or the DOI. More specifically, and as a matter of priority, but without limiting the scope of the foregoing request, we seek any documents concerning the [Cayuga Nation of New York] furnished to you by Joseph J. Heath, Esq. and any emmbe of the [Cayuga Nation of New York] other than Clint Halftown, Timothy Twoguns, and Gary Wheeler, together with any repsonse(s) thereto.
Heidie McIntosh	10/25/2007	SOL-2008-0009	All Records related to R.S. 2477 Litigation
Richard J. Hirn	10/30/2007	SOL-2008-0027	Request for copies of all DOI Motor Vehicle Safety & Motor Vehicle Operation Policies for BIA.

R. Smith & T	11/9/2007	SOL-2008-0006	Requesting all memoranda, supporting documents, attachments, and other records or
Schlosser			documents in either paper or electronic format relating to Resolution No. 07-037 of the Yurok Tribal Council.
			All memoranda, supporting documents, attachments, and other records or documents in either paper or electronic format relating to Resolution No. 07-041 of the Yurok Tribal Council.
			A complete copy of the memorandum to the Special trustee from Deputy Solicitor Lawrence Jensen, "Re: Authority to Apportion Funds Remaining in the Hoopa Yurok Settlement Fund" (Feb. 20, 2007). See Ex. A attached hereto (providing only the first page of the memorandum).
			All letters, memoranda, supporting documents, attachments, and other records or documents in either paper or electronic format either generated by or received from persons at the law firm of Hogan and Hartson, including but not limited to Ray Calamaro, Doug Wheeler, and/or Andrew Spielman relating to (a) the Hoopa Yurok Settlement Act, Pub. L. 100-580, codified in part at 25 U.S.C 1300 et seq; (b) the Yorok Tribe; (c) Hoopa Yurok Settlement Fund; (d) Maria Tripp; (e) Yurok Tribal Council; and/or (f) the Yurok Interim Council, from January 1, 2001, through the present.
			All documents received from persons at the law firm of Alexander, Berkey, Williams & Weathers, including but not limited to Paul Alexander relating to (a) the Hoopa Yurok Settlement Act, Pub. L. 100-580, codified in part (b) the Yurok Tribe; (c) Hoopa Yurok Settlment Fund; (d) Maria Tripp; (e) Yurok Tribal Council; and/or (f) the Yurok Interim Council, from January 1, 2001, through the present.
			All documents between the Solicitor's Office and the Yurok Tribe referenced in the letter from Carl J. Artman to Senator Barbara Boxer (May 5, 2006). See Ex. B attached hereto.
Mara Summers, Dazzledots Bengals	12/3/2007	SOL-2008-0026	Information regarding Gogees Bengals Cattery illegal exportation of bengal hybrid cats out of United States
Larry L. Boschee	12/3/2007	SOL-2008-0031	copies of all reports, witness statements, photographs, and other docs prepared by BIA agents who investigated two house fires
Hanspeter Walter	12/3/2007	SOL-2008-0033	documents related to the environmental effects of the development, operation, maintenance, or other activities related to the San Francisco's Hetch Hetchy Water Supply Development system
David Stanish	12/5/2007	SOL-2008-BOISI	Contract Between the United States and the Idaho Power Company Relative to Power Rights at American Falls, Idaho.
Jeremy D. Smith	12/6/2007	SOL-2008-0034	maps of the mineral rights on Uintah and Ouray Reservation
Orville Layton	12/6/2007	SOL-2008-0035	scoring or evaluating of applicants for Job announcement 07-12-SOL-Anchorage
Kimberly D. Perkins	12/13/2007	SOL-2008-0036	Seeks "any and all record-keeping guidance and policies dating from January 1, 2001, to the present, for federal records of the Department.
Jo Anna Bratton	12/19/2007	FOIA Control No 08102	

Steven J. Bloxham	12/20/2007	January 1	<del>s2006,thtgygh Sep</del>	FOIA request - All appendix exhibits and attachments in Sillaguamish Tribe of Inidans v. Thomas S. Kleppe on May 25, 1976. All exhibits, attachments, and evidence the U.S. submitted into evidence in their response to Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians' Motion for Summary Judgemtn Mentioned above.
Steven M. Griggs	12/20/2007		SOL-2008-0039	Seek copies of any information "pertaining to the Northern Cherokee Tribe of Indians in Missouri and Arkansas".
Nancie G. Marzuoila	12/21/2007		SOL-2008-0037	A copy of any report or document related to or summarizing the results of the Interior Department's Office of Inspector General investigation that is referenced in the attached pages of a GAO Report dated July 2006.
Sayema Hameed	12/21/2007		SOL-2008-0038	Any report or document related to or summarizing the results of the Department's OIG investigation of a GAO report; Department of the Interior's Solicitor General's investigation into the CA BIA Consortium for expediting FTT
Kay Nicky Michaels	1/2/2008		FOIA - Delaware Tribe of Indians federal recognition	FOIA requests document reviewed and edits noted by B. Coen,
Kristen L. Boyles	1/18/2008		SOL-2008-0041	Correspondences related to the Northern Spotted Owl Draft Recovery Plan to the from the Washington Oversight Committee
Dale Richardson	1/31/2008		SOL-2008-0048	FOIA request seeks:  1. All documents from the Office of the Secretary, the Office of the Associate Deputy Secretary, the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), the Office of Congressional Affairs, the Office of Indian Gaming Management, or any other office or bureau within the Department, including documents generated by persons or entities outised these offices, which refer, relate to, or discuss: (i) claims of the Sault St. Marie Tribe of Chipewa Indians to a parcel of land in Chippewa County, Michigan; (ii) the negotiated settlement of that land claim between the Sault St. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians and the State of Michigan; (iii) claims of the Bay Mills Indian Community to a parcel of land in Chippewa County, Michigan; (iv) the negotiated settlement of that land claim between the Bay Mills Indian Community and the State of Michigan; and (v) congressional legislation concerning the land claims of the Sault St. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians and the Bay Mills Indian Community and the State of Michigan; and (v) congressional legislation concerning the land claims of the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians and the Bay Mills Indian Community.  2. All documents from the Office of the Secretary, the Office of the Associate Deputy Secretary, the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, the burieau of Indian Affairs(BIA, the Office of Congressional Affairs, the Office of Indian Gaming Management, or any other bureau within the Department, including documents generated by persons or entities outside these offices, which refer, relate to, demonstrate or discuss Ms. Aurene Martin's involvement in the following matters while employed with the Dept. of the Interior in various capacities: (i) land claims of the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians and the Bay Mills Indian Community.  3. All documents relating to or discuss: (i) Ms. Aurene Martin's post-government employment under Titles 18 and 25 of the United States Code, as well as the

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Laurie Miraglia	1/31/2008		SOL-2008-0046	Seeks a copy of the 2007 study concerning the Ysleta Pueblo del Sur (or Tiguas).
Jacqueline Jackson	2/5/2008		SOL-2008-0042	Any and all documents, including email, relating to the Department of the Interior's investigation, by the SOL, OIG into allegations of misconduct by SOL employee on or around September 12, 2007, that was complained of by attorneys in the Branch of Personnel Litigation and Civil Rights and all document including email relating to Arthur Gary's proposal to discipline for ther September 2007, and Anthony Conte's decision on Mr. Gary's proposal.
Miriam Leon	2/7/2008		SOL-2008-0043	Seeks "a legal opinion from August 17, 1978 regarding rights-of-way for ditches and canals."
Jean Hill	2/9/2008		SOL-2008-0044	Seeks a copy of all communication on Petition 191, with the Western Cherokee of Arkansas and Missouri, for the past 1 ½ years."
Stephen R. Ward	2/13/2008		SOL-2008-0045	FOIA request on behalf of the Quapaw Tribe of Oklahoma.
John Cook, RADAR <sup>*</sup> Magazine	2/22/2008		SOL-2008-0049	All records concerning the Animal Liberation Front
Joe Nathan Homer	3/11/2008		SOL-2008-0052	Certified records of his grandfather, Edward Homer, No. 5707, biological parternal grandfather E.W. Homer is full-blood Choctaw Indian.
John N. Schneider	3/12/2008		SOL-2008-0050	Copies of correspondence of March 15, 2007 from Deputy Solicitor Larry Jensen to both Gov. Spitzer and Ray Halbritter
James Buchal, Murphy & Buchal, LLP	3/14/2008		SOL-2008-0051	Klamaths River Basin Restoration Agreement for the Sustainability of Public and Trust Resources and Affected Communities
Thomas Schlosser & Rob Roy Smith	3/16/2008	-	SOL-2007-0034	Seeking information pertaining to the Hoopa-Yurok Settlement Act
Jeff Armstrong	3/31/2008		SOL-2008-0054	Correspondes and opinions pertaining to the May 31, 1994 request of the President of Chippewa Tribe to reverse prior solicitor's opinions on the tribal constitution authority and MCT
Rafael Viturro	3/31/2008	NA	SOL-2008-0055	Any and all correspondence between Hillary Clinton - either in her capacity as a First Lady or Senator from New York and copies of all FOIA requests for the above information from 1992 to the present with the Office of the Solicitor; Copies of all FOIA requests for Senator Barack Obama's correspondence with the Office of the Solicitor from 2005 to the present.
Patrick Bergin	4/10/2008	Anderson Tuell, LLP, Attorneys at Law	SOL-2008-0056	a copy of all documents and records, electronic documents and records, and other documents including letters and email generated by or delivered to the Department of Interior and its regional offices concerning the distribution of funds awarded to the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe by the United States Court of Federal Claims in Docket Nos. 19 and 188. (emphasis in original) I specifically request a copy of the Research Report referenced in the June 6, 2001 Memorandum styled as the "Results of Research Report in Favor of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe er. (sic) Al. v. United States" sent by the Acting Deputy Commissioner on Indian Affairs of the Regional Director for the Midwest Region. (emphasis in original) I finally I (sic) specifically) (sic) request a copy of any timber appraisal report or such similar records related to the above mentioned matter.
Lindsay A. Blevins	4/17/2008	Lathrop & Gage, Law Offices	SOL-2008-0057	Copies of all oil and gas leases submitted to the Fort Berthold Agency of the Bureau of Indian Affairs during specified time frames pertaining to certian Indian allotments.
Lindsay A. Blevins	4/17/2008	Lathrop & Gage, LLC	SOL-2008-0058	Oil and gas leases pertaining to certain Indian allotments.

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Michael S. Freeman	4/21/2008	Earthjustice representing The Wilderness Society, the Colorado Environmental Coalition and the Colorado Mountain Club.	SOL-2008-0059	All documents referring or relating to the June 2007 and March 2008 records for decision for the Resource Management Plan Amendments for the Roan Planning area, draft or final environmental impact statements
James S. Angell	4/22/2008	Earthjustice representing The Wilderness Society, The Arizona Wilderness Coalition	SOL-2008-0060	Administrative record or the the proposed resource management plan/final EIS for the Arizona Strip Office, the Vermillions Cliffs National Monument, and the BLM portion of the Grand-Canyon Parashant National Monument and a proposed general management plan/final EIS for the NPS Portion of the Grand Canyon - Parashant National Monument.
James s. Angell	4/22/2008	Earthjustice representing The Wilderness Society and the Arizona Wilderness Coalition	SOL-2008-0061	Documents related to the interpretation of the Proclamations related to the Grand Canyon-Parashant National Monument, the Vermillion Cliff National Monument and travel management decisions related to the Proposed resource Management plan/final EIS for the Arizona Strip office etc
Don B. Miller	5/1/2008		SOL-2008-0062	Requesting documents on behalf of the Stockbridge-Munsee Community, Band of Mohican Indians (Stockbridge), and pursant to the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).
				We request the Department of the Interior(DOI) provide copies of a 1997 litigation request and report and related documents. We seek copies of the August 25, 1997 litigation request, together with its accompanying litigation report, from DOI Solicitor John Leshy to the Department of Justice requesting that the United States intervene, in its capacity as trustee, in the above-referenced action.
				We ask that you provide copies of any and all documents relating to subsequent deliberations and discussions, either within your office or between your office and the Department of Justice, concerning the nature of the Stockbridge claim and the role of the United States in the matter.
Steven J. Bloxham	5/2/2008	Fredericks, Peebles, and Morgan, LLP (Attorney for the Shinnecok Indian Nation)	SOL-2008-0063	1. All appendix exhibits and attachments to the Motion for Summary Judgment filed by Plaintiff Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians in Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians v. Thomas S. Kleppe, Case No. 75-1718, on May 25, 1976 in the United States District Court in the District of Columbia.  2. All exhibits, attachments, and evidence the United States submitted into evidence in their response to Plaintiff Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians' Motion for Summary Judgment mentioned above.
Steven J. Bloxham	5/2/2008	Fredericks, Peebles, and Morgan, LLP	SOL-2008-0064	"[R]egarding circumstances surrounding the publication and compilation of the list, dated January 31, 1979, entitled 'Indian Tribal Entities that have a Government-to-Government Relationship with the United States,' published at 44 Fed. Reg. 7,235 (Feb. 6, 1979)(referred to herein as the 'List')"  1. All memoranda, letters, and other documents relating to the federal recognition of Native American Indian Tribes prior to January 31, 1979, that are contained within the subject files relating to this topic.  2. All memoranda, letters, and other documents relating to the placement of Indian tribal entities on the List that are contained within the subject files relating to this topic.  3. All materials in attorney files showing official guidance regarding the List or any draft of the List.  4. All materials in attorney files showing attorney work efforts relating to the List or any draft of the List.  5. All status reports concerning the List or any draft of the List or referring to the List or any draft of the List that are contained within the subject files relating to this topic.  6. All Department of the Interior inter-office memoranda concerning the List or any draft

Steven J. Bloxham	5/2/2008	Fredericks, Peebles, and Morgan, LLP Attorney for the Shinnecock Indian Nation	SOL-2008-0065	1. Letter of January 7, 1974, from LaFollette Butler, Acting Deputy Commissioner of Indian Affairs, to Hon. Henry M. Jackson, Chairman, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, U.S. Senate (reprinted in Appendixes to the Final Report of the American Indian Policy Review Commission, Task Force No. 9, Vol. 2, pp. 306-309 (1976), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1, and incorporated herein by reference), and all attachments thereto, including without limitation:  (a) Commissioner's letter of September 7, 1972, regarding the Original Band of Sault St. Marie Chippewa Indians (Michigan);  (b) Solicitor's Opinion of February 27, 1974, regarding the Original Band of Sault St. Marie Chippewa Indians (Michigan);  (c) Deputy Commissioner's letter of June 9, 1972, regarding the Upper Skagit Indian Tribe (Washington) and the Sauk-Suiattle Indian Tribe (Washington);  (d) Letter of June 27, 1973, from Marvin L. Franklin, Assistant to the Secretary of Interior, regarding the Coushatta Indians of Louisiana; and  (e) Supporting memorandum of June 13, 1973, by Acting Director, Office of Indian Services, regarding the Coushatta Indians of Louisiana
Steven J. Bloxham	5/2/2008		SOL-2008-0066	"[R]egarding circumstances surrounding the publication and compilation of the list, dated January 31, 1979, entitled 'Indian Tribal Entities that have a Government-to-Government Relationship with the United States,' published at 44 Fed. Reg. 7,235 (Feb. 6, 1979)(referred to herein as the 'List')"  1. All briefing books or documents for Congressional hearings that concern or relate to the List or any draft of the List.  2. All minutes, notes, correspondence or personal log notes of officials, supervisors, attorneys, and staff of the Department of the Interior, including but not limited to the Office of the Solicitor and the Bureau of Indian Affairs, that are contained within the subject files for this topic.
Scott R. Patton	5/20/2008	State of Louisiana, Department of Natural Resources	SOL-2008-0053	" a July 17, 1986, Department of the Interior Solicitor's opinion, which pertains to U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service policy regarding the owners of sub-surface oil and gas mineral rights and their rights to extract and produce such minerals in Louisiana wildlife refuges. This opinion was referenced in the September 2007 Comprehensive Conservation Plan for Lacassine National Wildlife Refuge on Page 42."
Paul R. Hurst	5/30/2008	Steptoe & Johnson	SOL-2008-0067	1. All documents and pleadings relating to, submitted to, or filed with DOI in the following matter Star Lake Railroad Co. v. Bureau of Indian Affairs and Navajo Tribe of Indians Docket No. IBIA 86-42-A and addressing the cancellation of a right of way granted by the Bureau of Indian Affairs. This request includes but is not limited to the pleadings and orders referenced in the attached decision and all documents and pleadings relating to, submitted to DOI, or filed in this proceeding while it was pending before the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the Assistant Secretary of Indian Affairs (before it was transferred to the Board of Indian Appeals), the Board of Indian Appeals, and/or the Office of Hearings and Appeals.
Paul R. Hurst	5/30/2008	Steptoe and Johnson	SOL-2008-0068	Navajo Mining information
Rebecca Brown	6/5/2008	The Hill Newspaper	SOL-2008-0069	FOIA Logs maintained by the Department of the Interior for fiscal year 2008.
Rick Eichstaedt	6/5/2008	Center for Justice	SOL-2008-0070	Documents re:6 pages of documents regarding a request to prosecute a named individual.

January 1, 2006 through September 30, 2008 Carolee Krieger 6/13/2008 California Water Impact Network SOL-2008-0071 1. Reports prepared since January 1, 2007, by the U.S. Geological Survey (including Mr. S. Schwarzbach and Ms. Theresa Presser) regarding application of groundwater and surface water to lands within the San Luis Project in California. This includes the 2008 report, about50 pages in length, discussing reducing water exports from the San Francisco Bay Delta by up to 400,000 af to be offset by the deep groundwater pumping of about 320,000 af. (That report also addresses draining and treating the shallow groundwater within the San Luis Project lands and discusses the advantages and disadvantages of that solution.) Records prepared by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service since January 1, 2007, concerning any fisheries consequences of the proposed San Luis Drainage Resolution 3. The Feasibility Report for the San Luis Drainage Feature Re-Evaluation, as promised in the San Luis Drainage Feature Final EIS and ROD. 4. The Peer Review of the San Luis Drainage Feature Re-Evaluation Treatment Technologies, as promised in the San Luis Drainage Feature Final EIS and ROD. Denise Greenlaw 6/13/2008 The Peters Corporation SOL-2008-0072 1. The Regional Office's transmittal memorandum regarding the Land into Trust and two Ramonas part determination application for the Pueblo of Jemez: 2. The Regional Director's proposed Findings of Act and conclusions relative to 25 CFR, Part 151, Section 20 of IGRA and NEPA: 3. The Regional Director's recommendations for approval or disapproval of the lacquisition: 4. Regional BIA office's requests for any information needed to clarify the Pueblo of Jemez' applications; 5. Any notes, memos of other records associated with the Regional Director's required analysis of factors; 6. Federal Register notice required under 25 CFR 151.12 for the Pueblo of Jemez' application; 7. Regional Director's analysis regarding the two-part determination: 8. Solicitor's Office legal opinion regarding the two-part determination; 9. Regional Director's Memorandum containing a statement certifying that the documents submitted for the acquisition are copies of the original documents; 10. Regional Director's Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions; 11. Regional Director's required statement and statutory citation regarding the acquisition under 25 CFR Part 151: 12. Regional Director's Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions including the discussion of the applicable provisions in the Pueblo of Jemez' governing documents authorizing the Pueblo to take the requested action: 13. Regional Director's required statement that indicates the circumstances listed in 25 CFR 151.3(a) that either support or does not support the request for the acquisition; 14. Regional Director's assurance that the information provided pursuant to 25 CFR Section 151.4 was reviewed and found to be sufficient or insufficient; 15. Regional Director's summary of the tribe's history, organization, and the governing practices that illustrate the tribe's operating standards: 16. Legal memorandum regarding legal issues that were reviewed by the Regional or Field Solicitor: 17. Solicitor's opinion or response to the legal issues reviewed by the Regional or Field 18. Copies of any additional information obtained by the BIA offices to supplement or clarify the tribe's application that was transmitted to the BIA Central Office, the Office of Indian Gaming or the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs: 19. Regional Director's statement regarding the impact of taking the proposed land into trust on the State of New Mexico and Dona Ana County as a result from removing the land from the tax rolls: 20. Copies of any information obtained by the BIA that was the basis of the Regional Joe Trow 6/19/2008 SOL-2008-0073 Mapping information in connection with the 38th Congress

Edmund G. Brown	6/24/2008	State of California, Attorney General	SOL-2008-0074	all documents pertaining to the real property parcel known as Del Norte County Assessor's parcel number 105-042-11, also known as BIA Number 50B-IH1078-D
Elizabeth Homer	6/25/2008			Requesting access to the Fee-to-Trust Handbook prepared by the BIA on or about May 21, 2008.  All BIA internal guidance on the National Environmental Policy Act currently in existence at the DOI.  All BIA internal guidance on probate procedures currently in use at teh DOI
Clive Strong	6/30/2008	State of Idaho, Office of the Attorney General, Natural Resources Divsion	SOL-2008-0075	1. construction and operation of a dam at the north end of the lake; 2. use or management of the water in the lake by the Bureau of Indian Affairs ('BIA'); 3. purchase of water rights in Grays Lake for use on the Fort Hall Irrigation Project; 4. negotiations leading to the execution of Refuge Use and Cooperative Use Agreements ('Use Agreement') with approximately 22 private land owners in 1965; 5. efforts subsequent to execution of the Use Agreement, to construct dikes, levees, dams, roads, water control structures, or pumping facilities in compliance with the Use Agreement and subsequent decisions to abandon those efforts; 6. documents related to any claim of ownership to the lake bed of Grays Lake, whether by the federal government, the state of Idaho, or private companies or individuals; 7. the Department's purchase of private property near or on the lake bed, subsequent to the execution of the Use Agreement, for inclusion in the Gray's Lake National Wildlife Refuge; 8. homestead applications, patents, and related records for land in or next to the lake bed; 9. construction in 1906 and subsequent operation of Clarks Cut at the southern end of Gray's Lake; 10. BIA public land withdraws in the first half of the 20th century at or near Gray's Lake in conjunction with the Fort Hall Irrigation Project; 11. a 1964 Memorandum of Understanding between Fish & Wildlife Service ('FWS') and BIA regarding FWS permission to use BIA water for a refuge; 12. approval of the refuge by the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission in June of 1965; 13. any annual water draw down schedules to pull water out of Grays Lake; and 14. any legal analysis from the Office of the Solicitor regarding the preceding topics.
Melissa Thrailkill	7/7/2008	Center for Biological Diveristy	SOL-2008-0076	All documents related to the issuance of any notice of violation under the Marine Mammal Protection Act ("MMPA") for the polar bear or any other species under the jurisdiction of the Department of Interior ("DOI") since January 1, 2005
Dina Cappiello	7/14/2008	Associated Press	SOL-2008-0077	Copies of all FOIA logs from January 2006 to the present. The logs should include the requester's name, and/or employer, a description of the records sought and the status of the request.

Laurel A. McElhaney	7/24/2008	The Sparks Law Firm	SOL-2008-0078	<ol> <li>Any and all correspondence and other documents related to the decision to withdrawl Oak Flat from appropriation under the public land laws in 1955.</li> <li>Any and all documents which evidence the reasoning for establishing Oak Flat.</li> <li>ANy and all documents which evidence the process of setting aside Oak Flat and issuing Public Land Order 1229, 20 Fed. Reg. 7336.</li> <li>Any and all correspondense and other documents related to the decision to issue the order to modify Public Land Order 1229 in 1971</li> <li>Any and all documents which evidence the reasoning for continuing to protect Oak Flat from appropriation under the U.S. mining laws</li> <li>Any and all documents which evidence the process of modifying Public Land Order 1229 in 1971.</li> </ol>
	8/1/2008		SOL-2008-0079	Copies of agency records evidencing award receipients at the DOI Solicitor's Office, Rocky Mountain Region, from January 2001 to present, including management, attorneys and support staff, whether the award is from the Department of the Interior, the SOlitor's Office, any of its client agencies, or any other entity. With respect to each award, I request records showing the employee name, type of award (monetary, time-off, etc.), amount of award, justification for the award, and the name of the individual initiating the award. This request includes but is not limited to computer generated incentive awards reports and U.S. DOI Award Certification Forms 451. I also requestr copies of agency records showing all training provided to all employees of the DOI Solicitor's Office, ROcky Mountain Region, from January 2001 to present, including management, attorneys and support staff. I request records showing the employee name, theh title of the training, and the cost, and the entity which paid for the training, whether paid by the Department of the Interior, the Solicitor's Office, any of its client agencies, or any other entity.
Thomas P. Schlosser	8/1/2008	Morisset, Schlosser, Jozwiak & McGaw	SOL-2008-0080	Tribal Self Governance compacts and annual funding agreements for FY 2008 that include one or more discretionary programs, activities and functions of a non-Bureau of Indian Affairs Interior agency.      Tribal Self Governance compacts and annual funding agreements for FY 2008 that include one or more mandatory programs, activities and functions of a non-Bureau of Indian Affairs agency      Government cost estimates for Interior agency FY 2008 programs of the Trinity River Restoration Program, California, including formulas, methodologys and personnel who prepared or used such estimates in FY 2008.
Emily K. Merolli	8/5/2008	Perkins Coie	SOL-2008-0081	Documents related to the Cowlitz Indian Tribe and the Environmental Impact Statement for the Tribes proposed land acquisition and casino development plans.
Christopher Kolander	8/6/2008		SOL-2008-0082	Access to all interviews, investigative notes, all files and Department of the Interior Solicitor opinions, or any other documents pertaining to the gift, directly or indirectly, of the 1106 acres from the Rockefellar family to the Department of the Interior. The accepatance of this gift expanded the boundaries of Grand Teton NationalPark.
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