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Mr. Robert T. Herman  
FOIA and Privacy Coordinator  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Re: Civil Action No. 98-1319;  
Hall v. CIA

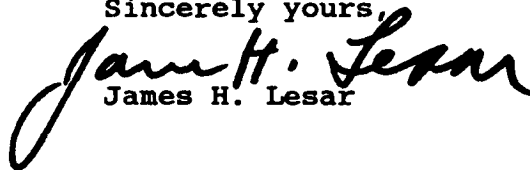
Dear Mr. Herman:

By letter of even date herewith, Mr. Mark Zaid has sent you checks totalling \$10,906.33 to pay for search fees that you have allegedly incurred in conducting searches ordered by Judge Paul Friedman in the above case. I write to clarify that by making this payment our client does not waive his right to seek further judicial determination of his right to a waiver of such fees.

I also write to remind you that by letter dated February 7, 2003, my client requested copies of "[a]ll records on or pertaining to any search conducted for documents responsive to Roger Hall's requests dated January 5, 1994, February 7, 1994, and April 23, 1998, including but not limited to all instructions and descriptions of searches to be undertaken by any component of the CIA and all responses thereto, and all records pertaining to the assessment of fees in connection therewith, including but not limited to any itemizations or other records reflecting the time spent on each search, the rate charged for the search, the date and duration and kind of search performed, etc."

Nearly ten months have passed since that request was submitted and you have yet to respond to it. Please provide the requested documents forthwith.

Sincerely yours,

  
James H. Lesar

cc: Mark Zaid  
Roger Hall

Civil Action No. 04-0814  
(HHK)

Attachment 9