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Jacob Meckler
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Re: FOIL Request No. 24F0387

Dear Mr. Meckler:

I am an Assistant District Attorney in New York County assigned to be the Records Access Officer in connection with your request under the Freedom of Information Law (FOIL). The request was received by this office via email on June 18, 2024.

I am writing to update you on the process of searching for records responsive to your request. I have submitted a request to our IT Unit for keyword searches pursuant to your request and am awaiting the results. That request is currently in the queue of FOIL, discovery, compliance, and other requests that must be handled by our IT department. FOIL requests requiring IT processing are prepared by that department in the order they were received by this Office. Please note that we have a large number of FOIL requests. Additionally, should potentially responsive records be located, they first must be reviewed for responsiveness to your request and then for a determination as to whether responsive records fall under any exceptions to disclosure under FOIL. Given the volume of FOIL requests that were received prior to this one, and the amount of time it is taking to review those records, I estimate that I will need at least another 30 days for this request. You can therefore expect an update of the review process, or a determination, on or before August 18, 2024.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Todd Fitch", is written over a horizontal line.

Todd Fitch
Assistant District Attorney
Records Access Officer