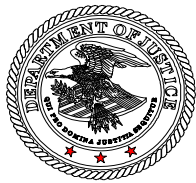


# Exhibit 2



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Re: *ACLU, et al. v. DOD, et al., No. 17 Civ. 3391 (PAE) – CIA  
Glomar Response*

Dear Ms. Shamsi:

This is to notify you that, with respect to the FOIA request at issue in the above-referenced case, the CIA cannot confirm or deny the existence or nonexistence of the requested records because to do so would reveal information that is protected by FOIA Exemptions 1 and 3, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(1), (b)(3).

Sincerely,

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