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Hon. Lorna G. Schofield
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

Re: *American Civil Liberties Union et al. v. Office of the Director of National Intelligence, et al.*, 18 Civ. 12131 (LGS)

Dear Judge Schofield:

I write on behalf of both parties in the above-captioned FOIA lawsuit to provide a status report, as required by the Court's January 19, 2022 order, ECF No. 85.

Since the parties' June 5 status report, Plaintiffs have provided additional information about their position on the government's withholding of certain records in full. The government is considering Plaintiffs' position.

The government's processing of Item 6 records is ongoing, consistent with the operative schedule. On June 30, the government produced 342 pages of responsive Item 6 records, with redactions for exemptions. Plaintiffs are reviewing the latest production. Neither side requests any relief from the Court at this time.

I thank the Court for its consideration of this matter.

Respectfully,

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