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Via Electronic Mail

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Dear Ms. Gramian,

Thank you for your letter dated June 6, 2016 in which you request that Legal Services Corporation (LSC) add an OGIS routine use to its FOIA/PA SORN. While the LSC Act, 45 U.S.C. §1005(g), subjects LSC to the FOIA, LSC is not a federal agency for purposes of the Privacy Act. See 45 U.S.C. §1005(e)(1) ("...the Corporation shall not be considered a department, agency, or instrumentality, of the Federal Government"). Because of its non-agency status, LSC is not required to publish a SORN and has not done so. Accordingly, we are unable to add the routine use provision OGIS has requested.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 295-1620.

Sincerely,

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Vice President for Legal Affairs and

General Counsel