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December 7, 2015—Sent via U.S. mail

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Re: Case No.: 201501234
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Dear [REDACTED]:

This responds to your request for assistance from the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS), which we received on September 21, 2015 via U.S. mail. Your request for assistance pertains to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the Executive Office for United States Attorneys (EOUSA).

Congress created OGIS to complement existing FOIA practice and procedure; we strive to work in conjunction with the existing request and appeal process. The goal is for OGIS to allow, whenever practical, the requester to exhaust his or her remedies within the agency, including the appeal process. OGIS has no investigatory or enforcement power, nor can we compel an agency to release documents. OGIS serves as the Federal FOIA Ombudsman and our jurisdiction is limited to assisting with the FOIA process.

We carefully reviewed your request for assistance, and we understand that you dispute EOUSA's [REDACTED] response to your request. You followed up with OGIS on October 30, 2015, informing us that you received notification that EOUSA is now processing your request. Thank you for updating OGIS on the status of this matter.

Considering that your request is moving forward in the administrative process, there is no action for OGIS to take at this time. If you require assistance with this matter in this future, please feel free to contact us again and we will be glad to try to assist you. Thank you for contacting OGIS; we will now consider this matter closed.

Sincerely,

/s/

JAMES V.M.L. HOLZER
Director

cc: EOUSA FOIA staff

