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Tanvi Misra
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Dear Tanvi Misra:

Your request was received in this office on July 18, 2019 regarding all relevant information related to the Migrant Protection Protocols ("Remain in Mexico"), including (1) number of individuals returned to Mexico under this policy for each month in FY 2019 to date; (2) percentage of total individuals returned to Mexico in FY2019 to date who were not able to make their immigration court hearing in the U.S.; (3) the average length of wait time for individuals returned to Mexico to have an immigration court hearing; (4) the percentage of total individuals who opted in for the "fear assessment" interview and were still placed in the MPP program; (5) a breakdown of total MPP-affected individuals by age, gender, and nationality; (6) a total number of individuals in the MPP program who arrived as a family unit. After assessing your request, we determined that the responsive records are not under the purview of USCIS. We recommend that you redirect your request to the following government agencies:

Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Catrina M. Pavlik-Keenan

Freedom of Information Act Office

500 12th Street, SW, Stop 5009

(202) 732-0300

Washington, DC 20536-5009

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

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For your convenience, we have forwarded your request to that agency for consideration and direct reply to you. For additional information relating to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and its components, we encourage you to visit the DHS website at the following address: www.dhs.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jill A. Eggleston". The signature is written in a cursive style with some loops and flourishes.

Jill A. Eggleston
Director, FOIA Operations