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RE: Freedom of Information Act Tracking Number: **20-02558-F**

Dear Mr. Johnston,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) dated December 15, 2019, in which you are seeking:

- All information, documents, and data pertaining to the employment of Mr. William Rausch. Any correspondence he had made in relation to his work for the VA.

The FOIA Service received your request on December 16, 2019, and assigned it FOIA tracking number **20-02558-F**. Please refer to this number when communicating with the VA about this request.

The records you requested, if they exist, would be maintained at the Veterans Health Administration (VHA), VA Boston Health Care System (HCS). Therefore, we are redirecting your request to this office for a file search and a direct response to you. If you wish to know the status of your request, please contact them directly at the following address:

Department of Veterans Affairs  
Attention: Ms. Penny Lashua  
VHA, VA Boston HCS  
1400 VFW Parkway  
West Roxbury, MA 02132  
Email: [vhabhsfoiaofficers@va.gov](mailto:vhabhsfoiaofficers@va.gov); Phone: (857) 203-5924; Fax: (857) 203-5005

Questions regarding the status of your request should be directed to Ms. Lashua.

This concludes the FOIA Service's response to your request.

We appreciate your interest in the VA. If you have any further questions concerning this letter, you may contact Ms. Jacqueline Short of my staff at (202) 632-7426.

Sincerely,

Ms. Doloras Johnson  
Director, VACO FOIA Service  
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