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September 19, 2018

Emmanuel Freudenthal
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Via email: 60728-11154298@requests.muckrock.com

Dear Freudenthal:

This letter is regarding to your Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of September 14, 2018, assigned #18-01106-FOIA, for the following:

- 1 - A copy of any emails sent or received between 01/01/2016 and today by Dr Pierre Rollin with the keyword "Guinea" in the subject line or body of the email.*
- 2 - A copy of any emails sent or received between 01/01/2014 and today by Dr Pierre Rollin with the keyword "Sandia" in the subject line or body of the email.*
- 3 - A copy of any emails sent or received between 01/01/2014 and today by Dr Pierre Rollin with the keyword "Phoenix" in the subject line or body of the email.*
- 4 - A copy of any emails sent or received between 01/01/2014 and today by Dr Pierre Rollin to/from any Sandia employees, as defined by their email domain:@sandia.gov.*

This letter is to notify you that your request is overly broad and to seek your clarification regarding the subject matter of the records you seek. The FOIA allows the public to request access to "reasonably described" existing agency records (subject to any applicable FOIA exemptions to disclosure). This means you must describe the category of records you are seeking or the actual document(s), and provide sufficient details to permit a search with reasonable effort, utilizing existing indices and search tools.

Your request is too broad because your key terms are too common and your date is too broad and would likely yield records that are not responsive to your request.

To assist the agency to conduct a reasonable search for items #1, #2, and #3, please provide our office with additional information, such as: provide additional phrases with your search terms. You can also narrow the date range to a timeframe that coincides with the particular event you are interested in and name the precise documents you are seeking

At this time, your request has been placed on hold until we receive the information requested. If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Jonesa Davis at 770-488-6067.

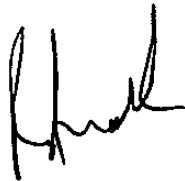
If we do not receive a response from you by November 20, 2018, we will consider your quest withdrawn and it will be closed.

Appeal Rights

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6277 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, Suite 729H, Washington, D.C. 20201. Please mark both your appeal letter and envelope "FOIA Appeal." **Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted by December 18, 2018.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Roger Andoh', written in a cursive style.

Roger Andoh
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