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January 7, 2022

This is a follow up to request number 2022-98:

Hi Sarah,

Thank you so much for taking the time to discuss my requests, and for your recommendations about how to narrow my requests for efficiency. I really appreciate it! Per our conversation about FOIA request Control #2022-98, please narrow it down to the following parameters:

1. All emails that include and/or contain the word "embargo" that were sent to, from, and/or between the following email addresses between the dates of 3/1/2020 and the date this request is ultimately processed: heidi.Rebello@fda.hhs.gov ; michael.felberbaum@fda.hhs.gov

Please let me know once you know how many responsive emails your agency will need to review under this more narrow request, prior to beginning any further work. If necessary at that time, we can discuss narrowing the search further depending on the volume of emails.

I will email you separately about the other requests we discussed, in order to keep everything organized.

Thank you, again!

- Erin Miller

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On Jan. 6, 2022:
Subject: RE: Freedom of Information Act Request #2022-98
Hi Sarah,

I called the number listed in your email signature (301-796-8976) and left a message on your voicemail today (1/6/2022) at 1:13 p.m. Eastern Time. Feel free to call me back at the number I provided in my message at your earliest convenience; you can also send me your availability if you'd prefer to schedule a time to talk.

Thank you,

Erin Miller

On Jan. 4, 2022:
Subject: FDA FOIA 2022-98
Hi, please let me know when you have time to discuss your request. Thanks.

Sarah

Sarah B. Kotler, J.D.
Director, Division of Freedom of Information
US FDA
301-796-8976

On Jan. 4, 2022:
Subject: FDA Receipt of FOI Request Control # 2022-98
Control number: 2022-98
Please find the attached acknowledgement regarding your FOIA request. Note: Do NOT reply directly to this E-mail

On Dec. 28, 2021:
Subject: FOI Request Received

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Reference: FDA2179960

Dear Requester,

This is to confirm that you submitted a request for record(s) from the Food and Drug Administration pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act.

FOIA staff will review your request to determine whether it has sufficient information to be processed; if so, you will receive another email as a formal acknowledgement of your request, with a control number for your request.

If your request is not sufficiently described,

or if there are any other deficiencies with your submission, FOIA staff will contact you via telephone or email.

On Dec. 28, 2021:

Subject: Freedom of Information Act Request: Emails Mentioning "Embargo" 2020-2021 (FDA Office of Media Affairs)

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records:

1. All emails that include and/or contain the word "embargo" that were sent to, from, and/or between any of the following email addresses between the dates of 3/1/2020 and the date this request is ultimately processed:

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amanda.turney@fda.hhs.gov
angela.stark@fda.hhs.gov
april.grant@fda.hhs.gov
audra.Harrison@fda.hhs.gov
brad.kimberly@fda.hhs.gov
brittney.Manchester@fda.hhs.gov
chanapa.Tantibanchachai@fda.hhs.gov
courtney.Rhodes@fda.hhs.gov
daniel.Hetlage@fda.hhs.gov
emma.Spaulding@fda.hhs.gov
fdaoma@fda.hhs.gov
gloria.sanchez-contreras@fda.hhs.gov
heather.Janik@fda.hhs.gov
heidi.Rebello@fda.hhs.gov
james.McKinney@fda.hhs.gov
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sarah.Peddicord@fda.hhs.gov
shannon.Hatch@fda.hhs.gov
shirley.Simson@fda.hhs.gov
stephanie.caccomo@fda.hhs.gov
tara.rabin@fda.hhs.gov
usfda@public.govdelivery.com
veronika.Pfaeffle@fda.hhs.gov

Please also make sure to include all attachments to those emails.

None of the keywords cited in this request should be interpreted by your agency as being case sensitive during the search and retrieval process.

When delivering the responsive documents related to this request, please make sure to specifically certify that no other responsive documents exist beyond those provided by your agency as part of this request.

The requested documents and information will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In order to help determine my status to assess fees, you should know that I am a freelance journalist whose work is published frequently by print and digital news outlets and magazines. I have previously been classified as a media requester by other federal agencies, including the CDC, when requesting information under the FOIA. You can view my work at www.erinmariemiller.com/clips. As a member of the media, I request a waiver of all fees.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I am willing to pay up to \$25 for the requested information. If there is a fee that exceeds that amount, please notify me prior to initiating work on the request.

I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

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