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**Subject:** Re: Unauthorized Records Disposition Cases (UD) + FOIA. Ms. Shogan, pls reply.

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On Wednesday, October 11, 2023 at 12:05:00 PM EDT, <[perseverance2013@aol.com](mailto:perseverance2013@aol.com)> wrote:

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**Dear Ms. Shogan,**

Response requested.

Please preserve records for judicial review IAW the FOIA in each UD case file that I submitted.

This is to advise you that NARA may be a party to any litigation (FOIA or otherwise) where I have submitted Unauthorized Disposition UUD) complaints involving those records.

I may also soon begin placing my correspondence with NARA into the public domain for all to judge. Most of my UD cases involve FOIA, which is actionable in federal court.

In each case that I submitted, I advised NARA that the agency must produce the alleged destroyed/unaltered records and I stated that I should be give the opportunity to review any draft case closure letter to advise you of seemingly materially false statements in official proceedings by the Agency involved. NARA did not do either. Where NARA has improperly closed cases (and sent me case closure letters), I provided NARA with supplemental information documenting NARA's errors/malfeasance.

NARA refuses to post (and investigate?) UD cases involving NARA.

I do not consider NARA UD closure letters as final actions.

Additionally, NARA has refused to respond to my simple FOIA requests seeking records related to my UD cases.

All the above implicate potential NARA violations of laws, regulations, and policy, including the Administrative Procedures Act. There may be NARA funding deficiencies contributing to poor performance as well. NARA must fund its statutory missions before embarking on pet rock excursions, no matter who wants them.

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**Mr. Baker, NARA OIG.**

I have sent you past correspondence seeking OIG audits and or investigations in certain cases.

At a minimum, a NARA OIG audit is required, which should include all my UD cases.

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**GAO (bcc).**

I may reach out to you and members of Congress regarding these UD cases which are of heightened public interest now because allegations of unauthorized removal and/or disposition of federal records by our current president and former president and vice president. There should not be a lack of trust in NARA's UD unit, but redacted records produced pursuant to my FOIA requests seeking records of potential Hatch Act violations are alarming. At some point those case records may go into the public domain as well and be subject to FOIA litigation.

With my deep respect,

Robert (Bob) Hammond  
Private Citizen FOIA Advocate