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Mr. Kevin W. Morgan
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Dear Mr. Morgan:

SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) CASE TRACKING NUMBER DON-NAVY-2015-000773

This is our final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated October 31, 2014 and received in our office on December 1, 2015. Your request was for the recent MOA/MOU signed by CMC, CNO, SECNAV and ASNDRA concerning LPD-17 Hull form for LX(R).

We initiated a search of the files maintained by the Office of Expeditionary Warfare (N95) and Director Surface Warfare (N96) and have identified three (3) pages of documents responsive to your FOIA request.

Upon review of the responsive documents, we have determined that certain personally identifiable information, such as the names, dates of birth, and social security numbers of individuals mentioned in these documents are exempt from disclosure under 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6), since release of this information would result in a clearly unwarranted invasion of their personal privacy.

Because your request is partially denied, you are advised of your right to appeal the denial of your request by writing to:

Office of the Judge Advocate General
1322 Patterson Ave, SE, Ste 3000
Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066

Your appeal must be postmarked within sixty calendar days from the date of this letter. A copy of your initial request and this letter must accompany the appeal. The appeal should be

marked "FREEDOM OF INFORMATION APPEAL" both on the envelope and the face of the letter. In order to expedite the appellate process and ensure full consideration of your appeal, your appeal should contain a brief statement of the reasons you believe this decision to be in error.

In this instance, the fees associated with the processing of this request were below the minimum threshold and have not been assessed. Please be advised, however, that fees, fee categories, and fee waivers are determined on a case-by-case basis, and a previous determination has no influence on future determinations.

Questions regarding the action this office has taken during the processing of your request may be directed to our FOIA service center at (202) 685-0412.

Sincerely,

Robin Patterson

Robin Patterson
Head, DON PA/FOIA Program Office