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IN REPLY REFER TO
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DON-USMC-
2016-005333
14 OCT 2016

Mr. Bruno Tarquinii
12429 Shadow Lane
Bowie, MD 20715

Dear Mr. Tarquinii:

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST DON-USMC-2016-005333

This letter is the final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of 5 July 2016, assigned file number DON-USMC-2016-005333. On 11 April 2016, you requested:

"Request any and all documents relating to the IG Complaint I submitted to David Naseer, Station Inspector, Building #230 room 119, MCAS Iwakuni Japan on 17 November 2015. Please provide any and all materials submitted, provided, and discovered. Case #151117-01/02/03."

Responsive records were discovered and are being released to you. However, the responsive records have been redacted according to applicable FOIA exemptions including 5 U.S.C. §552 (b)(6), and (b)(5).

In view of the above, you may consider this to be an adverse determination that may be appealed. Since you have created an account in FOIAonline, you may submit an appeal directly within the web-based system. To do this, you would log in to your account, retrieve your original request, and then click on the "Create Appeal" tab in the left-hand column. The basic information from your request will be duplicated for you, and then you can type in the basis of your appeal. If you prefer to use regular mail, you may submit an appeal to the Judge Advocate General (Code 14), 1322 Patterson Avenue SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066. Your appeal, if any, must be postmarked within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter and should include a copy of your initial request, a copy of this letter, and a statement indicating why you believe your appeal should be granted. I recommend that your appeal and its envelope both bear the notation, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal".

You also have the right to seek assistance and/or dispute resolution services from the Marine Corps FOIA Public Liaison, Ms.

Sally Hughes, at hqmcfoia@usmc.mil or (703) 614-4008, and/or the Department of the Navy FOIA Public Liaison, Mr. Christopher Julka, at Christopher.a.julka @navy.mil or (703) 697-0031. You may also contact the Office of Government Information Services for assistance and/or dispute resolution at ogis@nara.gov or 1-877-684-6448. For more information online about services provided by OGIS, please visit their website at https://ogis.archives.gov.

The fees associated with the processing of your request are waived in this instance.

Questions concerning this action should be directed to Captain Keane at DSN (315) 253-5591, Commercial 011-81-827-79-5591, or via email to timothy.keane @usmc.mil.

Sincerely,

T. M. KEANE
Captain, U.S. Marine Corps
Freedom of Information Act
Privacy Act Coordinator

Enclosure: 1. Inspector General of the Marine Corps Case #151117-01/02/03