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To: FOIA HQ
Subject: OSC Referral to EPA - Rodriguez FO-18-0071 and Spinelli FO-18-0084
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HA-18-3433 Case File.pdf
HA-17-3352 Case File.pdf
Rodriguez Req FO-18-0071.pdf

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Re: Freedom of Information Act Referral (Ref. #s FO-18-0071 and FO-18-0084)

Dear FOIA Officer:

The U.S. Office of Special Counsel (OSC) has processed two similar FOIA requests in which it identified potentially responsive records that originated with the Environmental Protection Agency.

Attached to this letter you will find the original FOIA requests from the requesters and responsive records (15 pages), which I am referring to your FOIA office for determination and direct response to the requester under the FOIA. Please be advised that Mr. Spinelli later amended the scope of his request to the same universe of records sought for Mr. Rodriguez's FOIA request. We ask that you protect the personal privacy interests of any third party individuals mentioned in the records pursuant to FOIA Exemption 6 and 7(C).

A copy of the requesters' letters are attached. The requesters' contact information is:

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Sincerely,

/s/

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