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March 27, 2026

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Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington
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FOIA Case Number: J-20-0132

Dear FOIA Requester:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated June 11, 2020 for all records mentioning or referring to the protection of the Trump International Hotel Washington, D.C. or the Old Post Office building from May 25, 2020 to the present between National Guard Bureau (NGB) and the White House, NGB and any representatives of the Trump Organization, and/or within NGB. Your request was perfected by the National Guard Bureau on June 11, 2020 and assigned case J-20-0132.

A thorough search within the appropriate system by knowledgeable staff did not locate any records responsive to your request. Therefore, we must inform you that this concludes the processing of your request.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to appeal to Mr. Michael Kremlacek, Acting Principal Deputy Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency, Office of the Secretary of Defense (PCLT), 4800 Mark Center Drive, ATTN: PCLT, FOIA Appeals, Mailbox #24, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700. An appeal may also be made on-line through the OSD FOIA request portal at <http://pal.whs.mil/palMain.aspx>, or by e-mail to OSD.FOIA-APPEAL@mail.mil. If you use e-mail, please have the words "FOIA Appeal" in the subject of the email. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of this response and should include copies of your original request and this response, as well as a discussion of the reasons supporting your appeal.

You may also seek dispute resolution services from OSD/JS FOIA Public Liaison, Virginia Burke, at (571) 372-0462 or by email at OSD.FOIALiaison@mail.mil, or from the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS), National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) via email at ogis@nara.gov, via fax at 202-741-5769, or via mail at Office of Government Information Services (OGIS), National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740.

This concludes this office's processing of your request. If you have questions regarding your FOIA request, please contact our office at email: ngb.foia@army.mil.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Martindale', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

CHRISTOPHER J. MARTINDALE
Colonel, US Army
Director, Management and Administration
National Guard Bureau