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July 19, 2016

John Greenewald, Jr.

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RE: Request Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act – FOIA #16-041

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

This letter is in response to your undated Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG), which the Agency received on May 31, 2016. In your request, you ask for a copy of records, electronic or otherwise, of all news stories printed from Agency's archive with the keyword "UFO." You further specify that you are asking the Agency to search all its news stories for the keyword "UFO."

The Agency has completed its search for and review of the documents responsive to your scoped request, and 62 pages of releasable documents are provided on the CD-ROM enclosed with this letter. A total of 540 pages of responsive documents, consisting of VOA program scripts created for overseas dissemination prior to the July 2, 2013 effective date of the Smith-Mundt Modernization Act, were withheld in their entirety pursuant to FOIA Exemption 3 in accordance with 22 U.S.C. §§ 1461, 1461-1a. Also, the 649 commercially-available news stories listed consist of copyrighted materials obtained by the Agency via license agreement and were withheld in their entirety pursuant to FOIA Exemption 4. No other responsive information was redacted from the documents provided, and all releasable responsive documents located by the agency are being provided to you. There are no chargeable fees associated with your request, and the enclosed materials are provided to you at no cost.

This completes the Agency's response to your request and it is now closed. However, because responsive documents were withheld you have the right to appeal this disposition. If you wish to do so, you must send your appeal within thirty (30) calendar days from the date of this letter to the Chairperson, Access Appeal Committee, BBG, Suite 3349, 330 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20237.

Sincerely,

Andrew T. Krog
FOIA and Privacy Act Officer



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Government	Percentage
Current government	85%
Previous government	15%

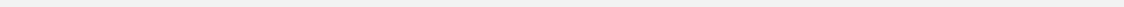
Responsibility	Percentage
Current government	85%
Previous government	10%
External factors	5%

Digital Tool	Percentage of Respondents
Video Conferencing Tool	95%
Document Collaboration Tool	85%
Project Management Tool	70%
Social Media Tool	30%

Government	Percentage
Current government	75%
Previous government	25%

Age Group	Should Take Action (%)	Should Not Take Action (%)
18-29	85	15
30-49	85	15
50-69	85	15
70+	85	15

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Current government	85%
Previous government	15%



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Category	Percentage
Very important	45%
Important	35%
Not important	15%
Don't know	5%

Government	Percentage
Current government	65%
Previous government	35%

Category	Percentage
Yes	75%
No	25%

Government	Percentage
Current government	75%
Previous government	25%

Government	Percentage
Current government	85%
Previous government	15%

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Response	Percentage
Yes, the U.S. should take action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions	88%
No, the U.S. should not take action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions	12%

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Current government	75%
Previous government	25%

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Current government	85%
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Government	Percentage
Current government	68%
Previous government	32%

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The diagram illustrates a sequence of 12 horizontal bars, each with a blue line segment at its left end. The bars are arranged in a descending staircase pattern from top-left to bottom-right. The bars are grouped into four sets of three, with each set having a light gray background block. The first and third sets have a white rectangular box at the end of their gray block, while the second and fourth sets do not.
