

U.S. Department of Justice

National Security Division

Washington, D.C. 20530

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January 23, 2023

Re: FOIA/PA #21-084

Dear Mr. Aftergood:

This is in reference to your email dated January 4, 2020 for information pertaining to a copy of records that indicate the number of "crimes reports" concerning unauthorized disclosures of classified information that were received by the Department in calendar year 2020. Our FOIA office received your Freedom of Information Act request on January 4, 2020.

The number of "crimes reports" concerning unauthorized disclosures of classified information that were received by the Department in calendar year 2020 is 55.

If you are not satisfied with the National Security Division's determination in response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, 441 G Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20530, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA STAR portal by creating an account on the following website: https://foiastar.doj.gov. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal.

Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Sincerely,

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