

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] September FOIA Release
From: "Pyle, Michael T. (USACAN)" <Michael.T.Pyle@usdoj.gov>
Date: 10/6/25, 12:32 PM
To: Caitlin Henry <ckh@caitlinkellyhenry.com>

Dear Caitlin,

At midnight on September 30, 2025, the appropriations act that had been funding the Department of Justice expired and appropriations to the Department lapsed. The Department does not know when funding will be restored by Congress.

I have learned that BOP's FOIA staff have been furloughed due to the lapse of appropriations, and, as a result, I am unable to contact BOP FOIA staff to get an answer to your question. While I have not been furloughed, I am only permitted to work on certain matters that fall within the Anti-Deficiency Act, and I am not permitted to work on the instant case during the lapse in appropriations. I will respond to your inquiry as soon as the lapse in appropriation ends and I am able to speak with BOP FOIA staff. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Thank you,

Michael

From: Caitlin Henry <ckh@caitlinkellyhenry.com>
Sent: Thursday, October 2, 2025 3:03 PM
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Dear Michael,

I am writing to let you know that we did not receive the September FOIA release. At your earliest convenience, please confirm whether BOP attempted to transmit it.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Caitlin Kelly Henry, Esq.