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Mr. Nelson,

Thank you for the supplemental production. ICAN will not withdraw the appeal and is prepared to proceed to litigation if the agency declines to lift the remainder of the redactions in the original production.

Sincerely,

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Good evening, Ms. Brehm.

I have attached a supplemental response from the CDC for the subject appeal/request. The CDC has re-evaluated the responsive records and removed redactions from a number of pages. I don't have the original release in front of me, but I can tell that – at the very least – there are no (b)(5) redactions left in the attachment. (I have not yet reviewed the remaining redactions under Exemptions 4, 5, and 6.)

Although this isn't a formal final decision from the Department, we are hopeful that this supplemental release will be satisfactory. Please let me know if you are willing to withdraw the remainder of your appeal.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask.

Respectfully yours,

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Good morning, Jonathan:

Attached please find the agency's response to the above-noted appeal. The final letter and a copy of the redacted documents are being referred to you for review and direct response to the requester.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Muchas gracias,

Cordialmente,

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