

[REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI)

From: [REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 6:20 PM
To: [REDACTED] (CJIS) (FBI)
Cc: [REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI); Hardy, David M. (RMD) (FBI)
Subject: FW: Freedom of information Request: ROBERT J. AHSENS

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Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 3:55 PM
To: [REDACTED] (RMD) (FBI)
Subject: FW: Freedom of Information Request: ROBERT J. AHSENS

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Thanks,

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From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com [mailto:[REDACTED]@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 3:54 PM
To: FOIPARquest
Subject: Freedom of information Request: ROBERT J. AHSENS

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[redacted] (RMD) (FBI)

From: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 3:57 PM
To: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); Sobonya, David P. (RMD) (FBI)
Subject: mass flooding of FOIPA

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From: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 3:21 PM
To: ESOC_Operations; SUSPICIOUS
Subject: FW: Freedom of Information Request: DANIEL E. HUNTER

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From: Sobonya, David P. (RMD) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 3:15 PM
To: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
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[redacted] and I have already logged in not quite 1,000 FOIA requests from [redacted] and we have about 100-200 requests waiting to be logged in. He has posted on social media that he has scripted a system to FOIA 7,000+ FBI officials. So far, we have just processed requests from A-H.

Motherboard.vice.com is reporting on this story and the requester [redacted]

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To: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
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Subject:

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[redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)

From: [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 6:46 PM
To: [redacted] (CJIS) (CON); [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
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Cc: [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI); [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
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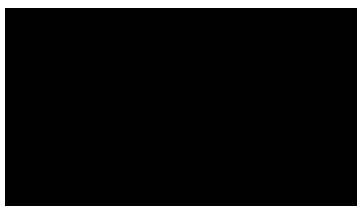
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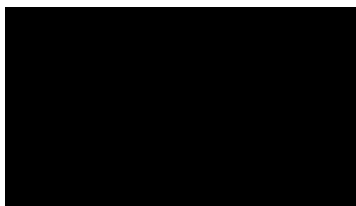
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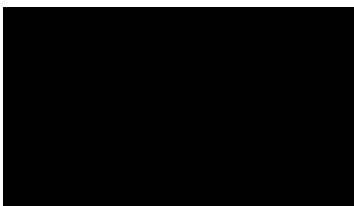
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From: [redacted] CJIS) (FBI)
Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 6:59 PM
To: [redacted] CJIS) (CON); [redacted] CJIS) (FBI)
Cc: [redacted] CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] RMD) (FBI); [redacted] RMD) (FBI)
Subject: RE: Freedom of Information Request: ROBERT J. AHSENS

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Thanks again [redacted]

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Date: 02/29/2016 6:50 PM (GMT-05:00)
To: [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov> [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov>
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To: [redacted] (CJIS) (CON)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov> [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov>
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From: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov>
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To: [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov>
Cc: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)" [redacted]@ic.fbi.gov>, "Hardy, David M. (RMD) (FBI)"
<David.Hardy@ic.fbi.gov>
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To: [redacted] (RMD) (FBI)
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From: [redacted]

Sent: Monday, February 29, 2016 3:54 PM
To: FOIPARquest
Subject: Freedom of Information Request: ROBERT J. AHSENS

To Whom It May Concern:

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ROBERT J. AHSENS

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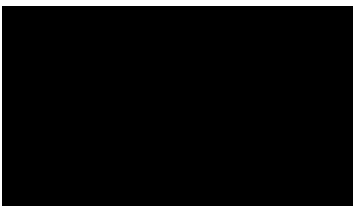
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Regardless of whether or not this request is granted, I ask that any processing notes generated in response to my request be provided.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

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To: [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI); [redacted] (CJIS) (CON); [redacted] (CJIS) (FBI)
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