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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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GRANT F. SMITH, PRO SE	_)	
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P.O. Box 32041)	
Washington, D.C. 20007)	
202-342-7325)	
Plaintiff,)	
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vs.)	
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STEVEN MNUCHIN, Secretary,		
U.S. Department of Treasury		Case: 1:17-cv-01796
Washington, DC 20220		Assigned To : Chutkan, Tanya S.
		Assign. Date : 9/1/2017
and		Description: FOIA/Privacy Act
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KATHLEEN MCGETTIGAN, Acting Director,)	
Office of Personnel Management)	
1900 E. Street, NW)	
Washington, DC 20415-1000;)	
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Defendants.)	
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COMPLAINT

1. Plaintiff Grant F. Smith brings this action against the U.S. Department of Treasury and the U.S. Office of Personnel Management under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (FOIA), and the Declaratory Judgment Act, 28 U.S.C. §§ 2201 and 2202, seeking declaratory and injunctive relief to compel compliance with the requirements of FOIA.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 2. This Court has jurisdiction over this action pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B) and 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331, 2201, and 2202.
- 3. Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B) and 28 U.S.C. § 1391(e). Because Defendants have improperly applied FOIA exemptions to withhold responsive data, failed to conduct a proper search and failed to comply with applicable time-limit provisions of the FOIA, Plaintiff is deemed to have constructively exhausted its administrative remedies pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(C)(i) and is now entitled to judicial action enjoining the agency from continuing to withhold agency records and ordering the production of agency records improperly withheld.
- 4. Venue is also proper in this District under 28 U.S.C. § 1391(e) because the Plaintiff is a resident of this judicial district, and a substantial part of the events or omissions giving rise to the Plaintiffs' claims occurred in this District.

PARTIES

- 5. Plaintiff, Grant F. Smith, is a public interest researcher and founder of the Institute for Research: Middle Eastern Policy, Inc. (IRmep). Smith's FOIA, mandatory declassification review (MDR) and Interagency Security Classification Appeals Panel (ISCAP) generated releases, research and analysis have been published in *The Washington Report on Middle East Affairs*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *Antiwar.com*, *The Washington Examiner*, *Corporate Crime Reporter*, *Mint Press News*, *LobeLog*, the *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists*, *The Nation Magazine*, *The Weekly Standard*, *Military.com*, *The Jewish Daily Forward*, *Business Insider*, *The Jerusalem Post*, *Israel National News* and *Courthouse News Service*. They have been carried on broadcast outlets such as C-SPAN, public and commercial U.S. radio stations, foreign broadcasts transmitted by VOA, as well as foreign news agencies like the BBC, Radio France and RT.
- 6. Defendant the U.S. Office of Personnel Management is a department of the executive branch of the U.S. government headquartered in Washington, DC, and an agency of the federal government within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. § 552(f)(1). OPM has possession, custody, and control of the records that the Plaintiff seeks.
- 7. Defendant US Department of Treasury is a department of the executive branch of the U.S. government headquartered in Washington, DC, and an agency of the federal government within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. § 552(f)(1). Treasury has possession, custody, and control of the records that the Plaintiff seeks.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The FOIA Administrative Process Treasury

- 8. The Plaintiff's FOIA request was sent to the Department of Treasury on April 24, 2012, and sought access to the "US Treasury Department Employee First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name, Title, Department and Phone Number" is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 9. On May 6, 2012 the Department of Treasury responded with printouts of website department head phone numbers and an organization chart. This response is attached hereto as Exhibit B.
- 10. On May 9, 2012 the Plaintiff filed an appeal that the response was not responsive in that it "1. It does not list every Treasury Department employee. 2. It does not list Treasury bureau employees, e.g. from the U.S. Mint or IRS." This response is attached hereto as Exhibit C.
- 11. On October 9, 2012 the Treasury denied the appeal, indicating "You have a right to judicial review of this denial in the U.S. district court for the judicial district in which you reside or have a principal place of business, the judicial district in which the requested records are located, or the District of Columbia, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(B)." This response is attached hereto as Exhibit D.

The FOIA Administrative Process OTFI

12. The Plaintiff's OPM FOI request was sent on October 15, 2012, and sought access to the "Employees of the U.S. Treasury "Terrorism and Financial Intelligence" (TFI) Unit...1. First Name, 2. Last Name, 3. Occupation/Title. A copy of the OPM FOIA is attached hereto as Exhibit E.

- 13. On April 24, 2014 the Department of Treasury responded that it had received responsive records from OPM. However, the Department of Treasury redacted all but seven names (Luke A Bronin, David Samuel Cohen, Daniel L. Glaser, Barbara C. Hammerle, Susan Leslie Ireland, Elizabeth S Rosenberg, and Adam J. Szubin.). The Department of Treasury also failed to provide accurate occupation/title data, referencing all seven as "0301Miscellaneous Administrative and Program20120930." The size of each name entry and amount of censored space suggests that OTFI has between 322 and 429 employees. Media reports have place the number at 700. This response is attached hereto as Exhibit F.
- 14. On May 7, 2014 the Plaintiff appealed the FOIA denial, but never received a response. This appeal is attached hereto as Exhibit G.

ARGUMENT

- 15. OPM, the only of the two agencies which initially appeared to want to properly comply with FOIA by producing an OTFI employee list (subsequently censored by the Department of Treasury), has not responded to our FOIA appeal.
- 16. Where the Department of Treasury did respond to the Plaintiff, it improperly denied our request on the basis of FOIA Exemption 6, misapplying an oft-quoted precedent in matters "protecting" personnel lists *Long v. OPM*, _F.3d _,2012 WL 3831784 (2d Cir. Sept. 5,2012), "holding that federal employee names and duty stations were properly withheld because the employees had a cognizable interest in keeping such information from being disclosed wholesale and because there was no public interest in the release of such information)." See Exhibit D.
- 17. In the case of *Long v OPM*, the FOIA requester sought millions of records and the request included several agencies. OPM withheld names and duty-station information for "all employees in what it deemed to be five 'sensitive' federal agencies: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco

and Firearms (ATF), Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA), Department of Defense (DoD), Secret Service, and United States Mint." Beyond the US Mint (which was originally part of the State Department, until made an independent agency in 1799, becoming a part of the US Department of Treasury in 1873) the remainder of the U.S. Department of Treasury was not among the five agencies designated as "sensitive" by OPM. The Plaintiff's requests mostly cover the US Department of Treasury in general and OTFI in particular.

- 18. Exemption 6 extends to "personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy." 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6). Plaintiff is not seeking sensitive personnel or medical files.
- 19. In the case of *Long v OPM*, the chief public interest "identified by plaintiffs is an interest in seeing where the federal government deploys its personnel." It was decided by the court that other sources of information were readily available to serve the public interest.
- 20. The Plaintiff's interest in the Department of Treasury data sought is much different.

 The Plaintiff is seeking to understand and disseminate information about the degree of regulatory capture of the US Department of Treasury.
- 21. Regulatory capture is a form of government failure that occurs when a regulatory agency, created to act in the public interest, instead advances the commercial or political concerns of special interest groups that dominate the industry or sector it is charged with regulating.
- 22. Revealing the names of all employees and their positions would permit further analysis of Department of Treasury capture by allowing members of the public and media to research the activities, affiliations and public statements of unelected Treasury political appointees and employees beyond the executive level.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests this Court:

(1) Order Defendants to immediately release information requested in the Plaintiff's

FOIA seeking the complete list of employees of the Office of Terrorism and Financial

Intelligence (OTFI);

(2) Order Defendants to release information requested in Plaintiff's FOIA requesting a

list of all (other) Department of Treasury employees;

(3) Enjoin Defendants from continuing to withhold all such non-exempt records

requested by any future FOIA filer;

(4) Grant such other and further relief as may deem just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

Grant F. Smith, PRO SE

IRmep

P.O. Box 32041

Washington, D.C. 20007

For process service:

Grant F. Smith c/o IRmep 1100 H St. NW Suite 840

Washington, D.C. 20005

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(202) 342-7325

Dated: September 1, 2017

Exhibit A

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April 24, 2012

Hugh Gilmore FOIA Public Liaison Department of the Treasury FOIA Request Washington, DC 20220



RE: US Treasury Department Employee First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name, Title, Department and Phone Number

Dear Hugh Gilmore,

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I request the above referenced-data of every US Treasury Department employee. In the past, this type of data would appear in an internal printed directory. According to our discussion on April 24, 2012 there is no longer a print copy, so I request the data. I was unable to obtain the internal designation of the database application for the employee directory from the Treasury Department operator, as suggested. However, this FOIA is only for the data and not the database application. I would be happy to receive the data in a comma or tab-delimited text file on a CD or DVD, which any competent database administrator should be able to easily export. As discussed, we do not request the data of any undercover IRS agent or other person whose identity is protected for enforcement or other legitimate purposes.

In order to help to determine my status as a requester please understand that I am affiliated with an educational, noncommercial research institution, and this request is made for a scholarly purpose. We do not, however, request waiver of fees for this request even though disclosure of the requested information to IRmep is in the public interest and it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government and is not primarily in my commercial interest. We will pay up to \$50 for any duplication/search/CD production fees involved in the processing of this request.

Although we do not formally request expedited processing, we do hope to be processed as a high priority.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Grant F. Smith Director of Research

Exhibit B



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20220

Re: 2012-05-006

SKF: PAS

Mr. Grant F. Smith Director of Research IRmep Calvert Station PO Box 32041 Washington, DC 20007

Dear Mr. Grant:

This letter is the Office of Emergency Program's final response to your Freedom of Information Act request, in which you requested all data for United States Department of the Treasury employees.

The Office of Emergency Programs has conducted a search of its files and has attached the existing Treasury Headquarters Organizational Directory, the Treasury Phonebook Bureau Offices and the U.S. Department of the Treasury Organizational Structure chart in response to your request.

If you are dissatisfied with my action on your request, you may appeal within 35 days from the date of this letter. Your appeal must be in writing, must be signed by you and should include rationale for the appeal. Your appeal should be addressed to:

Freedom of Information Appeal Disclosure Services DO Department of the Treasury Washington, DC 20220

Sincerely,

Sara Kay Fisher Director (Acting)

Office of Emergency Programs



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Financial Management Service

Internal Revenue Service
Office of Thrift Supervision
U.S. Mint
Public Debt

Comptroller of the Currency

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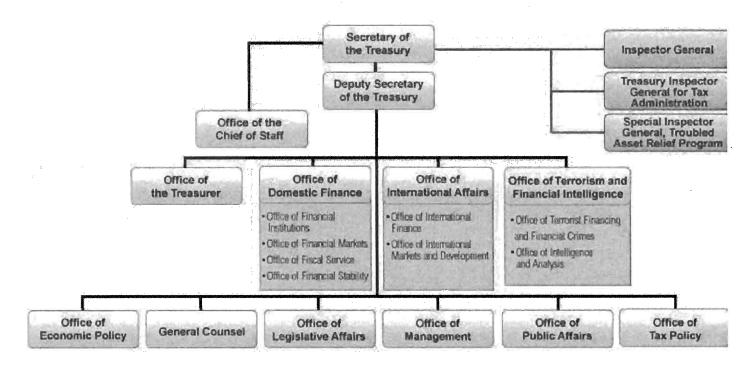
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

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Offices

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Inspectors General

The three Inspectors General of the Treasury.



Treasury Headquarters Organizational Directory

Position	Name	Phone	Room	Building
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Office				
All Offices-				

Admin (Login Required)

Position	Name	Phone	Room Number	Building		
Office: Secretary of the	Treasury					
Secretary	Timothy Geithner	622-1100	3314	MT		
Executive Assistant	Shirly Gathers	622-1100	3312	MT		
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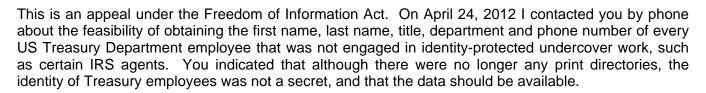
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05/09/2012

Hugh Gilmore FOIA Public Liaison Department of the Treasury FOIA Request Washington, DC 20220

RE: FOIA Appeal

Dear Hugh Gilmore,



Institute for Research: Middle Eastern Policy

On May 6, 2012 the Office of Emergency Program released a print-out of the Treasury Phonebook Bureau Offices from http://intranet.treas.gov/phone2/ This release is not responsive to our FOIA since:

- 1. It does not list every Treasury Department employee.
- 2. It does not list Treasury bureau employees, e.g. from the U.S. Mint or IRS.

As indicated in our original FOIA, we believe this data is readily available and could be exported into a comma-delimited text file on a CD by any competent IT professional, perhaps from Human Resources.

Although we do not formally request expedited processing, we do hope to be processed as a high priority.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Grant F. Smith Director of Research

Enclosures: Original FOIA, FOIA response

Exhibit D



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20220

October 9, 2012

Re: FOIA 2012-05-006

Mr. Grant F. Smith
Director of Research
Institute of Research: Middle Eastern Policy
Calvert Station
P.O. Box 32041
Washington, DC 20007

Dear Mr. Smith:

This letter responds to your FOIA Appeal dated May 9, 2012, in which you contend that the Department of the Treasury failed to provide the information you requested in your FOIA request dated April 24, 2012. In that request, you sought data on all Treasury Department employees, including first names, last names, titles/departments, and phone numbers for every employee not engaged in identity-protected undercover work, such as certain IRS agents.

On May 6, 2012, the Treasury Department released a print-out of the Treasury Headquarters phone book. You contend, in your appeal of May 9, 2012, that this information was not responsive to your request as it did not provide information on every Treasury employee, nor information on Treasury bureau employees, e.g. from the U.S. Mint or IRS.

In a subsequent contact with Brian Sonfield of Treasury's Office of General Counsel, you were provided with the link to a publicly accessible site that provides a searchable database on employees in all departments and agencies, including the Treasury Department and its bureaus. The site is http://www.php.app.com/fed_employees11/search/php.

Based on my review of your initial request, the Department's response, your appeal, and the information resource provided, I have concluded that the Department conducted a reasonable search in response to your request. I have further concluded that the information subject to your request would be exempt from disclosure pursuant to Exemption 6 of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6). See Long v. OPM, __F.3d __, 2012 WL 3831784 (2d Cir. Sept. 5, 2012) (holding that federal employee names and duty stations were properly withheld because the employees had a cognizable interest in keeping such information from being disclosed wholesale and because there was no public interest in the release of such information). Your appeal is hereby denied.

You have a right to judicial review of this denial in the U.S. district court for the judicial district in which you reside or have a principal place of business, the judicial district in which the requested records are located, or the District of Columbia, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(B).

Sincerely,

Michael Lewis

Senior Advisor

Office of the Assistant Secretary

for Management/CFO

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October 15, 2012

Matthew E. Perry, Chief FOIA Officer U.S. Office of Personnel Management FOIA Requester Service Center - 1900 E Street, N.W. Room 5415 Washington, D.C 20415-7900



RE: Employees of the U.S. Treasury "Terrorism and Financial Intelligence" (TFI) Unit

Dear Matthew E. Perry,

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I request a copy of the following OPM Central Personnel Data File (CPDF) data fields for all employees of the above-referenced U.S. Department of Treasury unit:

- 1. First Name
- 2. Last Name
- 3. Occupation/Title

We believe this request is consistent with recent court rulings on FOIA and OPM data release.¹ TFI is a relatively new unit, created by President George W. Bush in the year 2004. TFI's first Under Secretary for Terrorism and Financial Intelligence was Stuart A. Levey. Our close review of Levey's graduate thesis and other writings underscores his overriding expertise, professional and private concern was for the future of Israel. We found him to be an extremely curious choice to lead a Treasury unit. Levey functioned within a larger network of career and academic advisors who were active in what is popularly termed "the Israel lobby". Levey has now been succeeded by David S. Cohen who emerged from an elite law firm where former DHS chairman Michael Cheroff also worked. Neither Levey nor Cohen have been at all responsive to public questions about the impact of TFI on broader U.S. interests. David Cohen spoke for an hour on September 12, 2012 at NYU Law School about international pressure on Iran but refused to answer basic questions about TFI from three reporters attending the event. TFI routinely denies even basic FOIA inquiries by citing the Bank Secrecy Act.²

FOIA was enacted to promote honest and open government, but TFI is a proactively intransparent organization which makes itself available only to place statements in the elite press or answer to highly select groups. TFI personnel such as Daniel L. Glaser, the assistant secretary, have held major briefings only in closed meetings at the Washington Institute for Near East Policy (WINEP), a "think tank" created by the American Israel Public Affairs Committee in 1984. AIPAC is an Israel lobbying organization which lobbied for the creation of TFI.³ Since these events are closed to most investigative reporters and outside opportunities for questions, it raises public concern. The public has no information about how many people work in TFI or what their backgrounds and qualifications are. The unit seems only to be tasked with secretly implementing economic warfare legislation against Iran proposed by the very Israel lobbying organizations that promoted its creation, again raising a present and urgent public question about regulatory capture.

¹ Long v OPM http://docs.justia.com/cases/federal/appellate-courts/ca2/10-1600/10-1600-2012-09-05.pdf

² FOIA Denial http://www.irmep.org/PDF/12102007TFI FOIA.pdf

³ http://www.washingtoninstitute.org/policy-analysis/view/treasurys-response-to-the-arab-spring-financial-tools-for-international-sec

Disclosure of this narrow list of TFI names and occupations is significant in that it would allow the public to answer the following pressing questions. Do all TFI employees have similar backgrounds with and ties to Israel lobbying organizations? What appear to have been their qualifications prior to joining TFI based on cross-reference with publicly accessible information? Why is TFI so selective in the types of money laundering and sanctions enforcement operations it undertakes? We believe that knowing the precise makeup of this unit will contribute a great deal to public understanding of the functions of government. We do not seek any personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a meaningful invasion of personal privacy. The requested data cut is unavailable from any other source but OPM.

In order to help to determine my status as a requester please understand that I am affiliated with an educational, noncommercial research institution, and this request is made for a scholarly and news reporting purpose. IRmep should also qualify for an exemption as a "(6) Representative of the news media, or news media requester" since we regularly publish our output in alternative and establishment print and online media. IRmep has also over the last half decade published 10 social science and history books, including "Target Saudi Arabia," "Neocon Middle East Policy", "Foreign Agents", "Visa Denied", "America's Defense Line," "Spy Trade" and a nuclear proliferation book titled "Divert" as well as scores of research papers. IRmep has provided expert media interviews and data to news organizations as diverse as C-SPAN, Voice of America, the *Financial Times of London*, Reuters, the *Washington Post*, *Inc. Magazine*, Radio France Internationale, *Kiplinger*'s, the US State Department's *Washington File*, *RT* and many others.

Jeff Stein of the *Washington Post* calls IRmep's Research Director Grant F. Smith "a Washington D.C. author who has made a career out of writing critical books." James Petras, Bartle Professor (Emeritus) of Sociology at Binghamton University, New York claims "Grant F. Smith is without peer as an archival scholar." Blogger Philip Weiss claims "the best investigative work is being done by Grant Smith..." Nathan Guttman of *The Jewish Daily Forward* recognizes Smith as leading public efforts to "call attention of the authorities... and demands public scrutiny." John J. Mearsheimer, the R. Wendell Harrison Distinguished Service Professor of Political Science at the University of Chicago claims "Grant Smith's new book" is a major step forward in correcting that problem."

In longstanding recognition of IRmep's status, the following US government agencies do not charge IRmep search fees for FOIA requests: the US Department of Energy, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the US Department of Justice, the US Department of Commerce, the Central Intelligence Agency, the Defense Intelligence Agency, the US Pardon Attorney, the Internal Revenue Service, the Office of Patents and Trademarks, and the US State Department.

We do not, however, request waiver of data CD burning fees for this request even though disclosure of the requested information to IRmep is in the public interest and it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government and is not primarily in my commercial interest. We will pay up to \$50 for any duplication fees involved in the processing of this request. **Although we do not formally request expedited processing, we do hope to be processed as a high priority.** Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Grant F. Smith, Director of Research

ⁱ Meir Kahane: The Development of a Religious Totalitarian and his Challenge to Israeli Democracy

ii America's Defense Line

Exhibit F



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20220

April 24, 2014

Grant Smith
Institute for Research: Middle East Policy Inc.
Calvert Station
P.O. Box 32041
Washington DC 20007

RE: FOIA 2013-05-177

Dear Mr. Smith,

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated October 15, 2012.

This office has reviewed the documents forwarded from the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) in response to your FOIA request. The attached document is provided in response to your request. The data that has been redacted is pursuant to the FOIA (b)(6) exemption.

Should you choose to appeal this response, you must do so within 35 days from the date of this letter. Your appeal must be in writing, must be signed by you, and should contain the reason(s) why you believe an adequate search was not conducted. Your appeal should be addressed to:

Freedom of Information Appeal Disclosure Service, DO Department of the Treasury Washington, DC 20220

The deciding official on an appeal will be the Assistant Secretary for the Office of Terrorist Financing and Financial Crimes.

No fees were incurred in processing your request.

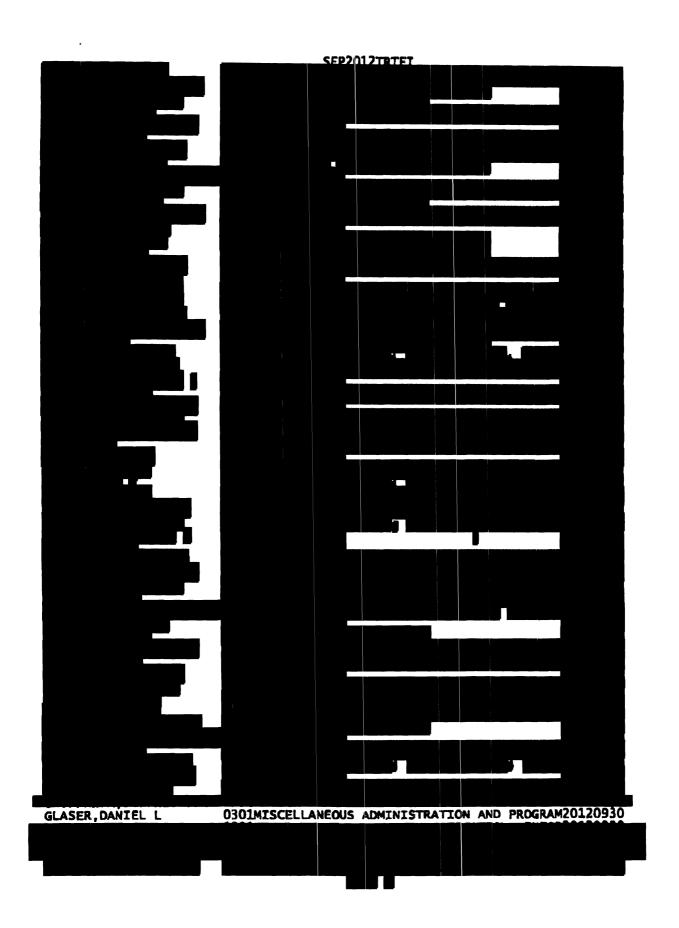
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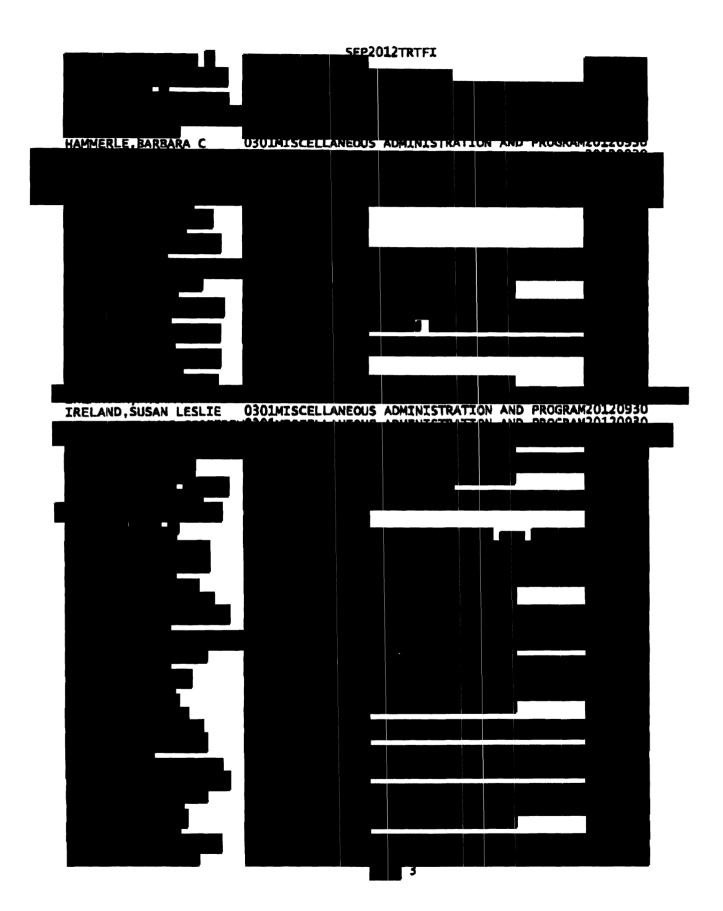
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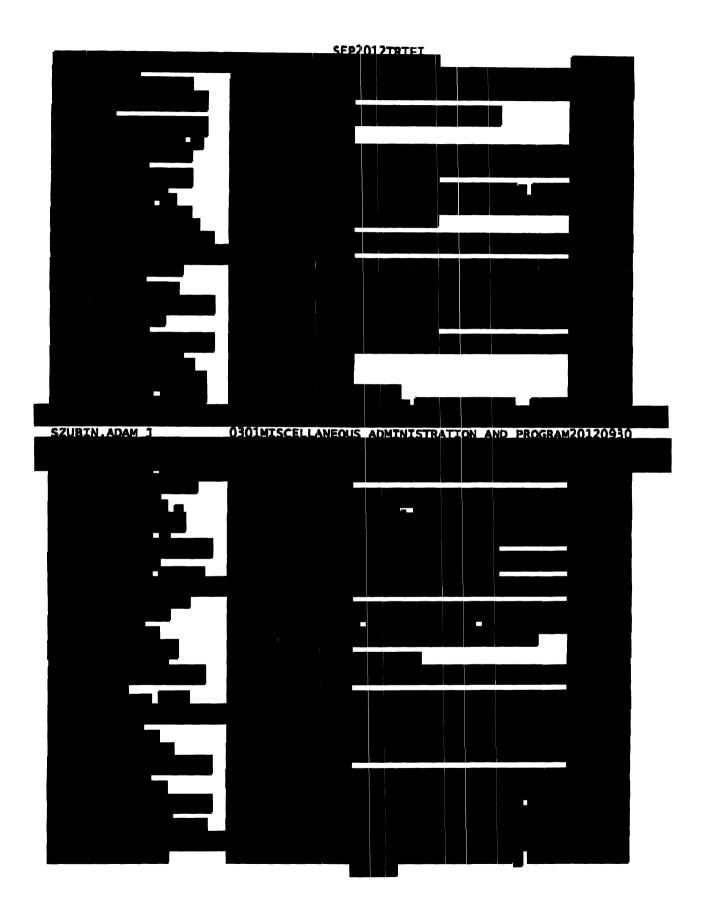












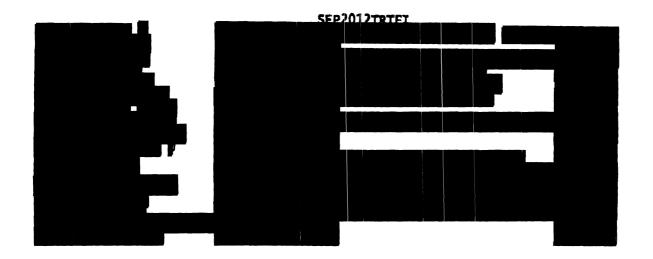


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Wednesday, May 7, 2014

Acting FOIA Officer FOIA Requester Service Center - 1900 E S Room 5415 Office of Personnel Management Washington, D.C. 20415-7900

RE: FOIA for TFI employee roster

Dear FOIA officer,



Institute for Research: Middle Eastern Policy

As you may know, the practice of such censorship began in 2005 as the Bush administration began withholding certain federal civilian employee records alleging heightened "national security" grounds necessitated extra secrecy. Before that, it was generally understood not only that, as one lawsuit observed, "Citizens have a right to know who is working for the government," but also their job titles and pay grade. The federal government's first such public interest disclosure rolls listed James Madison as president, earning \$25,000 a year. Lowly Treasury Department employee John Connell of Maryland was listed as a messenger earning \$410 a year.

The practice of hiding certain employee rolls, particularly of relatively new agency divisions lead by political employees bringing in circles of close associates, *is a dangerous practice*. It means that no outside public interest audit of the backgrounds and public views of such people can be conducted by those who pay their salaries. TFI is a unit that has an enormous impact on U.S. foreign policy and yet has almost zero transparency. It is unacceptable that the names of those who run it are treated as a state secret. They are federal employees.

We request that an unredacted list of TFI employees be sent directly to us within two weeks.

Sincerely.

Grant F. Smith Director of Research

Enclosure: redacted TFI list

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