

Central Intelligence Agency



Washington, D.C. 20505

June 18, 2010

Mr. Joshua E. Ostergaard



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Reference: F-2010-01319

Dear Mr. Ostergaard:

On 10 June 2010, the office of the Information and Privacy Coordinator received your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated 3 June 2010 for information or records on **Harry A Bruno (1893-1978)**. We assigned your request the above reference number; please cite this number when corresponding about this request.

To conduct an effective search of our files for information on an individual, we need as much information as possible. You have provided most of the required information, but we also need your subject's citizenship status. If Mr. Bruno was a naturalized U.S. citizen or a legal permanent resident (LPR), we ask you to provide the naturalization or LPR number and the date the status was acquired. Without these we may be unable to distinguish between individuals with the same or similar names.

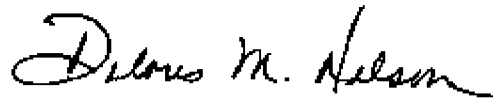
As you know, the FOIA authorizes federal agencies to collect fees for records services. We have enclosed a copy of our fee schedule for your retention. Based on the information provided in your letter, we determined that your request falls into the "educational" fee category, which means that the only charge you will be required to pay is the cost of reproducing responsive records (if any) beyond 100 pages of reproduction. Copies are ten cents per page.

I must consider your request for a waiver of all fees under the standards the Agency FOIA regulations outline, which you will find at Part 1900 of Title 32 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). I have reviewed your request under those standards and determined that your petition does not meet them because disclosing the information you seek is not likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations and activities of the United States Government. I therefore deny your request for a fee waiver.

You may appeal this decision, in my care, within 45 days from the date of this letter. Should you choose to appeal the denial of your request for a fee waiver, you are encouraged to provide an explanation supporting your appeal. Agency regulations also specify that if the Agency has started to process a request, the Agency may only accept an appeal of a fee waiver denial if the requester agrees to be responsible for the costs in the event of an adverse administrative or judicial decision.

We note that you are willing pay fees up to \$50.00. We do not anticipate fees will exceed that amount. However, before we can accept your request we will need your commitment to pay copying costs as described above, as well as your subject's citizenship status. Meanwhile, we will hold your request in suspense for 45 days from the date of this letter pending receipt of your response.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Delores M. Nelson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Delores M. Nelson
Information and Privacy Coordinator

Enclosure

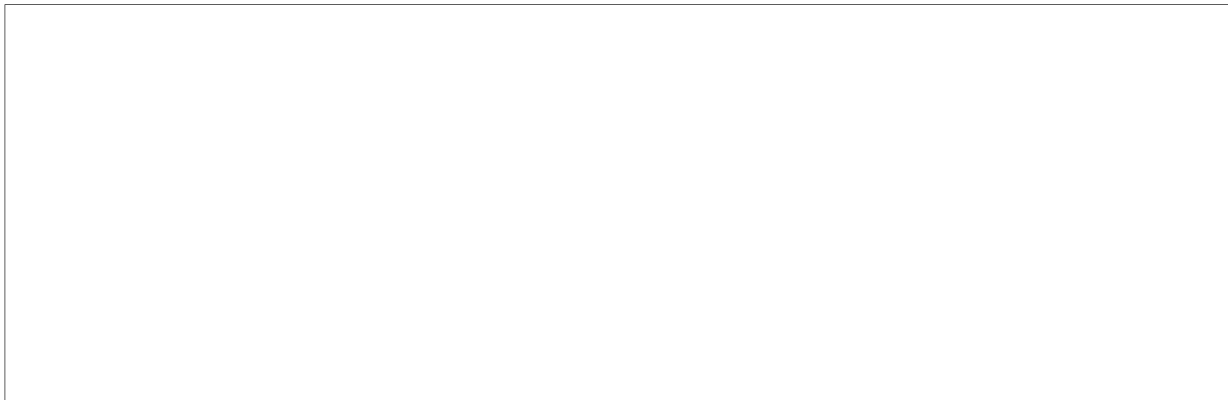
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