REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

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U.S. ARMY CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION COMMAND 27130 TELEGRAPH ROAD QUANTICO, VA 22134-2253

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Office of the Staff Judge Advocate

The Honorable Cheri Bustos United States Representative ATTN: Miranda French 2401 4th Avenue Rock Island, IL 61201

Dear Representative Bustos:

This responds to your inquiry on behalf of Mr. Douglas Albright. Mr. Albright is requesting copy of a 2009 U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command (USACIDC) investigation related to Hotline Report 106988.

The USACIDC initiated and conducted a joint investigation with the U.S. Department of Energy under Report of Investigation (ROI) 2006-06-CID416-50280-8B on January 17, 2006, into alleged contract fraud committed by employees of the US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE). The investigation did not establish probable cause to believe any USACE employee violated the Competition in Contracting Act, the Procurement Integrity Act nor any other criminal statute, as initially reported. The investigation was closed on June 13, 2006.

On February 25, 2009, the USACIDC opened Raw Data File (RDF) 00001-2009-CID416 in relation to Hotline Report 106988, regarding Mr. Albright's allegation that the USACE Hydro Design Center was wasting manpower and government funds by developing an in-house control system for optimum turbine operation. After an evaluation of Mr. Albright's Hotline complaint, the USACIDC decided not to initiate an investigation into Mr. Albright's allegation as his allegation was similar to the allegation that had already been investigated under (ROI) 2006-06-CID416-50280-8B. The evaluation under RDF 00001-2009-CID416 no longer exists as it was destroyed in accordance with Army Regulation 25-402 (The Army Records Information Management Correspondence), dated October 2, 2007.

The U.S. Army Crime Records Center (USACRC) determined that Mr. Albright submitted similar requests on February 17, 2010, March 10, 2010 and April 9, 2014. The USACRC released responsive documents from (ROI) 2006-06-CID416-50280-8B to Mr. Albright in response to each of those requests. In effect, Mr. Albright has all the USACIDC information available to him concerning his issue with the USACE.

I trust this information will assist you in responding to your constituent. The USACIDC point of contact for this action is Ms. Janice L. Hunter at (571) 305-4035.

Sincerely,

Colonel, U.S. Art

Deputy Commander