



**UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

OFFICE OF THE  
INSPECTOR GENERAL

March 28, 2017

Mr. Julian Tarver  
(b) (6)

**RE: FOIA Appeal No. 2017-0138A  
(FOIA Request 2017-0091)**

Dear Mr. Tarver:

I am responding to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) appeal dated September 29, 2016, received by this office on October 21, 2016, in which you appealed the action of the Assistant Inspector General for Investigations, (AIGI), NRC Office of Inspector General, related to your request, FOIA/PA-2017-0091, for, "All agreements/contracts/MOU/MDA with DEA, 2015 – current date." Your appeal disputes the no records response to your request, and states, "I am writing as I disagree with the 0 records being found. I believe there are some sort of responsive records." You request review of this appeal.

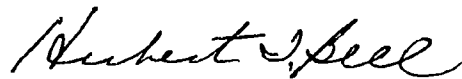
Acting on your appeal, my staff re-examined this matter. No responsive records were identified.

This is a final agency decision with regard to this request. As set forth in 5 U.S.C. 552 (a)(4)(B), judicial review of this decision is available in a District Court of the United States in the district in which you reside, in which you have a principal place of business, or in the District of Columbia.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Hubert T. Bell".

Hubert T. Bell  
Inspector General