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Dear Sir/Madam:

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST
FOIA-79-293
ruc'd 7-31-79

This letter is written on behalf of the Abalone Alliance, 452 Higuera Street, San Luis Obispo, California 93401. (See enclosed authorization.) Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act as amended, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and the Privacy Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552(a), I hereby request from you all memoranda, letters, or other records relating to or mentioning the Abalone Alliance, which have been compiled or placed in your files subsequent to March 7, 1978.

If you determine that any portion of the records included within this request are exempt from disclosure, I would appreciate your advising me as to which exemption(s) you believe covers the material which you are not releasing.

I would also appreciate an estimate of the costs involved, and, as you know, the amended Act permits you to reduce or waive the fees if you determine it to be "in the public interest because furnishing the information can be considered as primarily benefitting the public". I believe that the information requested clearly fits this category, as the Abalone Alliance is a non-profit public interest organization, and I hereby request that you waive any search fees.

As provided for in the amended Act, I will expect to receive a reply within ten (10) working days.

Sincerely,

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