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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Freedom of Information Officer Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Freedom of Information Officer:

Under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552, I am requesting access to all documents, letters, correspondences, reports, memoranda, and similar items pertaining to the army's Materials Technology Laboratory located in east Watertown outside of Boston, Massachusetts. The laboratory is known locally as the Watertown Arsenal.

As you know, the Act permits you to reduce or waive the fees when the release of the information is considered as "primarily benefiting the public." I believe that this request fits that category and I therefore ask that you waive any fees.

Otherwise, if there are any fees for searching for, or copying, the records I have requested, please inform me before you fill the request.

If all or any part of this request is denied, please cite the specific exemption(s) which you think justifies your refusal to release the information and inform me of your agency's administrative appeal procedures available to me under the law.

I would appreciate your handling this request as quickly as possible, and I look forward to hearing from you within 10 working days, as the law stipulates.

Sincerely,

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