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ICE FOIA Request 2015-ICFO-07134

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Samuel Niiro
Northwestern University
601 University Place
2nd Floor
Evanston, IL 60208**RE: ICE FOIA Case Number 2015-ICFO-07134**

Dear Mr. Niiro:

This acknowledges receipt of your November 24, 2014, Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), for the location and bed-space count for ERO authorized facilities. Sought similar information last year (ICE FOIA case number 2014FOIA00782). However, the information released to me included only location and average daily population; Am interested in obtaining information about available bed-space count irrespective of average daily population. Your request was received in this office on November 25, 2014.

Due to the increasing number of FOIA requests received by this office, we may encounter some delay in processing your request. Per Section 5.5(a) of the DHS FOIA regulations, 6 C.F.R. Part 5, ICE processes FOIA requests according to their order of receipt. Although ICE's goal is to respond within 20 business days of receipt of your request, the FOIA does permit a 10-day extension of this time period. As your request seeks numerous documents that will necessitate a thorough and wide-ranging search, ICE will invoke a 10-day extension for your request, as allowed by Title 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(B). If you care to narrow the scope of your request, please contact our office. We will make every effort to comply with your request in a timely manner.

Provisions of the FOIA allow us to recover part of the cost of complying with your request. We shall charge you for records in accordance with the DHS Interim FOIA regulations as they apply to educational requesters. As an educational requester, you will be charged 10 cents per page for duplication; the first 100 pages are free. We will construe the submission of your request as an agreement to pay up to \$25.00. You will be contacted before any further fees are accrued.

We have queried the appropriate program offices within ICE for responsive records. If any responsive records are located, they will be reviewed for determination of releasability. Please be assured that one of the processors in our office will respond to your request as expeditiously as possible. We appreciate your patience as we proceed with your request.

Your request has been assigned reference number **2015-ICFO-07134**. Please refer to this identifier in any future correspondence. You may contact this office at [\(866\) 633-1182](tel:8666331182).

Regards,

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