



**United States Department of State**

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Case No. 200303827 ER2  
Segment ER2

Ms. Amrit Singh  
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Dear Ms. Singh:

I refer to our letter dated December 17, 2004, regarding the release of certain Department of State material under the Freedom of Information Act (Title 5 USC Section 552).

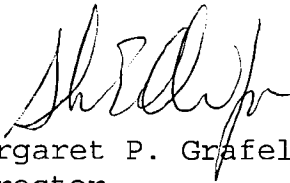
As you may recall, in the case of Segment ER2 further coordination was required before decisions could be made as to the release of three documents previously retrieved in response to your request. The coordination has now been completed for two of them and we find that one may be released in full and one may be released with excisions. A copy of the released documents is enclosed.

The material in the excised portions of the document released in part is currently and properly classified under Executive Order 12958 in the interest of national defense or foreign relations. As such, it is exempt from release under subsection (b)(1) of the Freedom of Information Act.

In the case of a document released in part, all non-exempt material that is reasonably segregable from the exempt material has been released.

We will provide further information about this segment as the coordination is completed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'M. P. Grafeld', written in dark ink.

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Director  
Office of Information Programs  
and Services

Enclosures:  
As stated.