Mr. William Ferroggiaro  
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RE: FOI-192/02

Dear Mr. Ferroggiaro:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for records concerning USAID's implementation of Attorney General John Ashcroft's October 12, 2001 memorandum on the FOIA.

A thorough search of our files in our General Counsel's office did not produce any of the requested records.

You have a right to appeal this No Record response. Your appeal must be received in writing no later than 30 days from the date of this letter. In order for it to be considered an official appeal, it must be addressed as follows:

Director, Office of Administrative Services  
U.S. Agency for International Development  
Room 4.6B Ronald Reagan Building  
Washington, DC 20523-4601.
Both the appeal and the envelope must be plainly marked "FOIA Appeal."

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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