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Dear Ms. Elias:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of August 20, 2003, in which you requested copies of this command's ten oldest open or pending FOIA requests. This command was previously known as the Chief of Naval Education and Training. Any future correspondence should be addressed to the Commander, Naval Education and Training Command. Your request was received by this command on August 20, 2003, and assigned file number 33-03.

Upon review of the responsive document, we determined portions of the document you seek are exempt from disclosure under 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(6), as information in personnel files, as well as similar personal information in other files, that if disclosed would result in a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Therefore, names and personal information have been redacted from the document provided.

Because your request has been partially denied, you are advised of your right to appeal this determination in writing to the Judge Advocate General (Code 14), 1322 Patterson Avenue S.E., Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, D.C. 20374-5066. The appeal must be postmarked within 60 calendar days from the date of this letter in order to be considered, and a copy of this letter should be attached along with a statement regarding why your appeal should be granted. I recommend the letter of appeal and envelope both bear the notation, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

The releasable portion of the requested document is enclosed. You have been placed in the "News Media" category for the purposes of fees. As such, since the fees associated with the processing of your request do not exceed \$15.00, they have been waived.

Ms. Linda Walters is the point of contact in this office and may be reached at (850) 452-4847.

I am the official responsible for the partial denial of your request.

Sincerely,

J. K. WAITS Commander

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Force Judge Advocate, By direction of Commander, Naval Education and

Training Command

Enclosure: 1. Pending FOIA request