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Segment L009

Mr. Amrit Singh
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Dear Mr. Singh:

I refer to our previous correspondence regarding the release of certain Department of State material you had requested under the Freedom of Information Act (Title 5 USC Section 552) in your letters of October 7, 2003 and May 25, 2004.

We have retrieved two additional documents responsive to your request that we have grouped as Segment L009. The search in the other files has been completed and we will let you know as the review of the various segments has been accomplished.

After reviewing the documents of Segment L009, we have determined that they may not be released.

The material in the documents withheld in full 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.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Margaret P. Grafeld".

Margaret P. Grafeld

Director

Office of Information Programs
and Services