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RE: FOIA No.: 10-75
Subject: Joint Terrorism Task Force and the Anti-Terrorism
Advisory Council (ATAC) in Massachusetts

Dear Ms. Rotolo:

According to our records, the Executive Office for United States Attorneys received a Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act request from you dated December 30, 2009, regarding the above subject matter.

By letter, dated May 31, 2012, you were provided with approximately Five Hundred (500) pages of material. We asked that you review the material and advise us if this is the type of information that you are seeking. There are approximately 5000 pages of records received from the U.S. Attorney's Office for the District of Massachusetts regarding the ATAC request. As advised, due to the nature of this material, the processing and review being extremely time consuming, we would await your response— either to continue in the manner reflected in what you received or to more refine your request to information of a type actually desired. Processing was suspended pending your review of this material.

On October 31, 2012, you communicated that what you had received was not useful to you and that you did not wish to burden us with processing more of the same in this fashion. You advised that you would shortly reform the request in writing respecting exactly what you wanted.

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To date, we have received nothing further. Given the age of the request, and the passage of time, we are closing this particular file at this time, presuming you are no longer interested to in pursuing the matter.

Please be advised that this in no way precludes you from making a new request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Susan B. Gerson', with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Susan B. Gerson
Assistant Director