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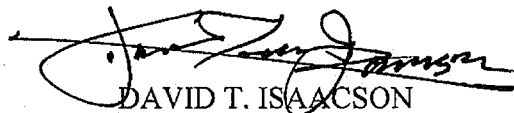
Re: 20-R032

Dear Ms. Monahan,

This letter responds to the enclosed Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, submitted to U.S. Cyber Command on February 20, 2020.

We have located and reviewed the record. As the Initial Denial Authority, I have determined that the redacted information is exempt from disclosure under the FOIA, title 5, United States Code, section 552(b)(3) and (b)(6). Enclosed are details of the specific exemptions cited.

If you are not satisfied with our action on this request, you may seek dispute resolution services from the DoD FOIA Public Liaison or the Office of Government Information Services. You also have the right to file an administrative appeal. Information about these services is enclosed.


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Major General, U.S. Army
Chief of Staff

Attachments:
Enclosure a/s

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FOIA Exemptions Cited:

(b)(3) – information specifically exempted from disclosure by statute:

10 U.S.C. §130b, personally identifying information of DoD personnel in sensitive units

(b)(6) – information in personnel and medical files and similar files, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy

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* Appeal should cite case number above, be clearly marked “FOIA Appeal” and filed within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter.

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Re: Request under the FOIA, in reply refer to Archive# **20200183CYB007**

Dear FOIA Officer :

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), I hereby request the following:

Tasking Order 12-1053, as referenced in USCYBERCOM EXORD 12-1183.

If you regard any of these documents as potentially exempt from the FOIA's disclosure requirements, I request that you nonetheless exercise your discretion to disclose them. As the FOIA requires, please release all reasonably segregable non exempt portions of documents. To permit me to reach an intelligent and informed decision whether or not to file an administrative appeal of any denied material, please describe any withheld records (or portions thereof) and explain the basis for your exemption claims.

As a representative of the news media, the National Security Archive qualifies for "representative of the news media" status under 5 U.S.C. Sec. 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II) and, therefore, may not be charged search and review fees. (*Sec National Security Archive v. U.S. Department of Defense*, 880 F.2d 1381 (D.C. Cir. 1989), *cert denied*, 110 S Ct. 1478 (1990)). This request is made as part of a scholarly and news research project that is intended for publication and is not for commercial use. For details on the Archive's research and extensive publication activities please see our website at www.nsarchive.org.

To expedite the release of the requested documents, please disclose them on an interim basis as they become available to you, without waiting until all the documents have been processed. Please notify me before incurring any photocopying costs over \$100. If you have any questions regarding the identity of the records, their location, the scope of the request or any other matters, please call me at (202) 994-7000 or email me at foiamail@gwu.edu. I look forward to receiving your response within the twenty day statutory time period.

Sincerely yours,

Michael Martelle

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SUBJECT: UNITED STATES CYBER COMMAND (USCYBERCOM) TASKING ORDER
(TASKORD) 12-1053, CYBER SERVICE COMPONENT DATA CALL TO
SUPPORT PLANNING FOR MANNING DEFEND THE NATION-IRAN (DTN-I)
CYBERSPACE NATIONAL MISSION TEAMS (CNMT) OF THE CYBERSPACE
NATIONAL MISSION FORCE (U//FOUO)

MSGID/ORDER/USCYBERCOM//

REF/A/ORDER/USCYBERCOM/11JUN12//
AMPN/USCYBERCOM WARNORD J3 12-0659 CRISIS ACTION PLANNING TO
DEFEND THE NATION FROM IRANIAN CYBER ATTACKS (U//FOUO)//
REF/B/ORDER/CJCS/10AUG12//
AMPN/CJCS PLANNING ORDER FOR DEFENSE AGAINST IRANIAN
OFFENSIVE CYBERSPACE OPERATIONS (TS/SI/ORCON/NOFORN/FISA)//
REF/C/DOC/WMS J0-20120415-2381/15APR12//
AMPN/REQUEST FOR NON CCP GROWTH PLANS FY13 AND BEYOND
(UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO)//
REF/D/DOC/USCYBERCOM/26MAR12//
AMPN/MEMORANDUM FROM COS USCYBERCOM AND DEPUTY CSS ON
COMBINED NSA/CSS AND USCYBERCOM DATA CALL FOR
ENTERPRISE-WIDE SERVICE CRYPTOLOGIC COMPONENT AND SERVICE
CYBER COMPONENT PERSONNEL BASELINE AND OUT-YEAR GROWTH
PLANNING FY13-FY18 (UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO)//

ORDTYPE/TASKORD/UNITED STATES CYBER COMMAND//

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NARR/(U//FOUO) THIS MESSAGE DIRECTS SERVICE CYBER COMPONENTS
TO COMPLETE THE SERVICE MANPOWER SPREADSHEETS TO SUPPORT
PLANNING FOR MANNING FIVE CYBER NATIONAL MISSION TEAMS.//

GENTEXT/SITUATION/1. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) ON FRIDAY, 10
AUGUST 2012, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF (CJCS)
ISSUED A PLANNING ORDER (REF B) DIRECTING USCC TO DEVELOP A
CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS (CONOP) AND OPERATIONS ORDER (OPORD)
TO DEFEND THE NATION AGAINST IRANIAN OFFENSIVE CYBERSPACE
OPERATIONS. SUSPENSE IS 10 SEPTEMBER 2012 TO THE JOINT STAFF
AND 6 SEPTEMBER 2012 TO CDRUSSTRATCOM.//

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GENTEXT/MISSION/2. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) WHEN DIRECTED, CDRUSSTRATCOM CONDUCTS CYBERSPACE OPERATIONS TO DETER, DISRUPT, AND IF NECESSARY, DEFEAT IRANIAN OR SURROGATE OFFENSIVE CYBERSPACE OPERATIONS IN ORDER TO DEFEND THE CIKR OF THE UNITED STATES. THE PURPOSE OF THE CYBERSPACE NATIONAL MISSION TEAMS IS TO CONDUCT CYBERSPACE OPERATIONS TO INCLUDE RECONNAISSANCE, SUVEILLANCE, TARGET ACQUISITION (RSTA), BLOCK, AND COUNTER AGAINST IMMINENT OR HOSTILE THREATS IN SUPPORT OF DTN-I//

GENTEXT/EXECUTION/3.

3.A. (U//~~FUO~~) INTENT. THE PRIMARY INTENT OF THIS TASKORD IS TO SUPPORT PLANNING FOR MANNING DTN-I CYBERSPACE NATIONAL MISSION TEAMS. THE COMMAND IS DEVELOPING MANNING FOR FIVE CYBER NATIONAL MISSION TEAMS (CNMT) WITH AN INITIAL OPERATING CAPABILITY OF TWO CNMTS NO LATER THAN 1 OCTOBER 2012. IN ORDER TO ACCOMPLISH THIS TASK, USCYBERCOM REQUIRES EACH SERVICE COMPONENT TO IDENTIFY PERSONNEL AVAILABLE TO FILL THE WORK ROLES CODIFIED IN THE 64-PERSON CYBER NATIONAL MISSION TEAMS BY NAME, UNIT, WORKROLE, AND GRADE/RANK AND OTHER CLARIFYING INFORMATION. THIS DATA WILL ASSIST IN IDENTIFYING THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO BUILD THE CNMTS AS WELL AS IDENTIFY SHORTFALLS. THE SHORTFALLS WILL BE USED TO REQUEST FORCES FROM THE NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY (NSA), OR OTHER FORCES AVAILABLE, TO AUGMENT/SUPPORT THE CNMTS. SECONDARILY, THIS DATA CALL ALSO PROVIDES THE SERVICES THE OPPORTUNITY TO ARTICULATE THE OPERATIONAL DEGRADATION TO MISSION AREA SUPPORT IF PERSONNEL ARE PULLED FROM THEIR CURRENT WORKCENTER TO MAN A CNMT. THIS MISSION IMPACT STATEMENT WILL BE GENERATED IN CONJUNCTION WITH NSA TO PROVIDE THE SENIOR LEADERSHIP OF USCYBERCOM, THE SERVICE CYBER COMPONENTS, AND NSA THE REQUISITE INFORMATION NECESSARY TO MAKE AN INFORMED DECISION ON THE CNMT BATTLE ROSTER.

3.B. (U//~~FUO~~) TASKS. USCC COMPONENTS: NLT 1600ZULU, 30 AUGUST 2012, EACH CYBER COMPONENT WILL COMPLETE SERVICE MANPOWER EXCEL WORKSHEET PROVIDED SEPCOR AND SUBMIT TO USCC J33 FOR SERVICE P2 PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO NSA/CSS EXTENDED ENTERPRISE TO USCC HEADQUARTERS (HQS).

3.C. (U//~~FUO~~) REQUESTS NSA ASSESS THEIR ABILITY TO PROVIDE CAPACITY AND PARTICIPATE IN FILLING CRITICAL GAPS IN CMNT MANNING ONCE IDENTIFIED BY USCYBERCOM.//

GENTEXT/ADMIN AND LOG/4.

4.A. (U//~~FUO~~) USCC J3 IS THE OFFICE OF PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY (OPR) FOR THIS EFFORT.

4.B. (U//~~FUO~~) CYBER SERVICE COMPONENTS WILL ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF TASKORD NLT 1400ZULU, 28 AUGUST 2012 AND PROVIDE EMAIL ADDRESS FOR POC TO RECEIVE MANNING WORKSHEET DESCRIBED IN PARA 3.B. COMPONENTS MAY RESPOND VIA OFFICIAL MESSAGE TRAFFIC OR VIA EMAIL TO ALL POC LISTED IN PARA 5.A.1.

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4.C. (U//FOUO) PROVIDE REQUESTED PERSONNEL DATA WORKSHEETS
TO POCs LISTED BELOW NLT 301600ZAUG12.//

GENTEXT/COMMAND AND SIGNAL/

(b) (3) 10 U.S.C. §130b

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5.A. (U//FOUO) POINTS OF CONTACT:

5.A.1. (U//FOUO)

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GENTEXT/AUTHORIZATION/FOR THE CDR, BRETT T WILLIAMS, MAJ GEN,
US AIR FORCE, USCYBERCOM J3.//

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