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Dear Mr. Evers,

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”) requests Nos. SBA-2020-002360, 2361, and 2363 in which you requested the following:

SBA-2020-002360: All calendars and calendar entries for Deputy Secretary Justin Muzinich, including any calendars maintained on his behalf, reflecting events that took place from April 15, 2020, to the date the search is conducted.

SBA-2020-002361: All email communications (including emails, email attachments, complete email chains, or calendar invitations) sent by Deputy Secretary Justin Muzinich to certain listed external organizations regarding the Paycheck Protection Program.

SBA-2020-002363: All email communications (including emails, email attachments, complete email chains, or calendar invitations) between 1) Deputy Secretary Justin Muzinich and 2) Jared Kushner or Ivanka Trump, including both private and official email accounts (including but not limited to jck@who.eop.gov, imt@who.eop.gov, or any emails ending in ijkfamily.com, kushner.com, kushnercompanies.com, trumporg.com, ivankatrump.com, or trump.com), and any assistants communicating on Mr. Kushner’s or Ms. Trump’s behalf (including but not limited to Cassidy Dumbauld at cassidy.m.dumbauld@who.eop.gov, Julie Radford at julie.t.radford@who.eop.gov, or any other private email accounts).

SBA has performed a search of the requested records and no documents exist that are responsive to your requests.

If you are dissatisfied with the Agency’s decision, you may file an administration appeal within 90 days of the date of this letter to:

Office of Hearings and Appeals
Attention: Oreoluwa Fashola, FOIA Office
409 3rd Avenue, SW – 8th Floor
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FOIA Ombudsman's Office, offers mediation services to help resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies. The contact information for OGIS is:

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Sincerely,

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