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Via Electronic Mail Only

Mr. Austin Evers
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Dear Mr. Evers:

This is in further response to your October 1, 2020 Freedom of Information Act request, received by the Civil Rights Division, seeking access to records pertaining to “All email communications (including emails, email attachments, complete email chains, and calendar invitations) sent by any of the DOJ officials: William Barr, Attorney General; Will Levi, Chief of Staff; Jeffrey Rosen, Deputy Attorney General; Anyone serving as White House Liaison; David Freed, U.S. Attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania; Anyone serving in the role of Chief of Staff or similar position to David Freed; John Gurganus, Chief, Criminal Division, Middle District of Pennsylvania; Dawn Clark, Public Affairs Officer, Middle District of Pennsylvania; Eric Dreiband, Assistant Attorney General of the Civil Rights Division; Brian Rabbitt, Assistant Attorney General of the Criminal Division using the following search terms: “Federal prosecution of election offenses”; “Election offenses”; “Election investigations”; “Applicable guidance”; “Election guidance”; “Advantages of federal prosecution”.”

After a thorough search, I have determined that the Civil Rights Division has no records responsive to your request.

If you are not satisfied with the Civil Rights Division’s determination in response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, 441 G Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20530, or you may submit an appeal through OIP’s FOIA STAR portal by creating an account on the following website: <https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked “Freedom of Information Act Appeal.”

I hope the Civil Rights Division has been of some assistance to you in this matter.

Sincerely,

Kilian Kagle

Kilian Kagle, Chief
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