



DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20228

DEC 19 2008

Ms. Marcia Hoffmann
Electronic Frontier Foundation
454 Shotwell Street
San Francisco, CA 94110

RE: FOIA No. 2009-004

Dear Ms. Hoffmann:

This is in final response to your October 2008 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for documents of communications between Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP) employees and representatives of the printing industry, printer/copier manufacturing industries, trade associations, researchers, the Central Bank Counterfeit Deterrence Group, as well as documentation of visits and travel between BEP employees and printer/copier hardware and software manufacturers. Enclosed please find the two page document list and six hundred fifty (650) pages of information in response to your request.

Pursuant to the exemption found at 5 U.S.C. 552 b(6), we are withholding the names, addresses and signatures of meeting participants. We feel that the release of this information would clearly constitute an unwarranted invasion of their personal privacy.

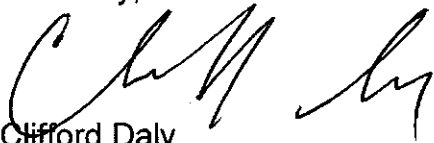
The actual cost to respond to your request easily exceeded two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), however we accepted your revised fee agreement limit of \$150.00. The cost to respond to your request consists of:

| | | |
|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Search | (1 hour @ \$20.00) | \$ 20.00 |
| Review | (No charge) | \$ 0.00 |
| Duplication | (666 pgs. @ \$.20 per pg.) | <u>\$130.00</u> |
| | Total | <u>\$150.00</u> |

Please remit a check for \$150.00 payable to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, directed to my attention.

If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may appeal by writing to the Director, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, 14th & "C" Streets, S.W. Washington, DC. 20228, within 35 days of receipt of this letter. Both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal."

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Clifford Daly". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "C" and a long, sweeping tail.

Clifford Daly
Acting Disclosure Officer

Enclosure(s)