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Via Email

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Re: Third Interim Production, Sierra Club v. EPA (3:18-cv-3472); FOIA Requests EPA-HQ-2017-009482, EPA-HQ-2017-009615, EPA-HQ-2017-009684, and EPA-HQ-2018-007559

Dear Ms. Saxonhouse,

This letter concerns an interim production of records responsive to the above-referenced case. Consistent with the Court's January 23, 2019 Order, EPA has completed review of 110 additional records from "Tier 1." After review, 22 records are released in full, 68 records are released in part, and 2 records are withheld in full.

The withholdings are pursuant to FOIA Exemption 5 for information initially determined to be within the Deliberative Process Privilege and/or Exemption 6 for personal privacy information. 5 U.S.C. §552(b)(5), (6). The records are released as individual PDF documents organized by custodian in the Box.com folder titled "Sierra Club v. EPA, 18-cv-3472, ND Cal. - FOIA Productions." The released records will also be publicly available on FOIAonline at <a href="https://foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home">https://foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home</a> by searching the FOIA request number, EPA-HQ-2017-009482.

If you have any further questions regarding this production, please contact Assistant U.S. Attorney Adrienne Zack at 415.436.7031.

Sincerely.

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