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FOIA Coordinator  
Office of the Solicitor  
Division of Management and Administrative Legal Services  
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room N-2420  
Washington, DC 20210

Via email to: [foiarequest@dol.gov](mailto:foiarequest@dol.gov)

**Re: Freedom of Information Act Request**

Dear FOIA Coordinator:

I am hereby requesting copies of the following records under the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(2):

- (1) All letters to Secretary Solis or the Acting Director of the Office of Workers Compensation Programs, Gary Steinberg, from any member organizations or affiliates of the Building and Construction Trades Division (BCTD) of the AFL-CIO for the period January 1, 2010 through the present; and
- (2) All controlled correspondence from the Labor Department to member organizations or affiliates of the Building Construction Trades Division for the period January 1, 2010 through the present.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(A), please advise my counsel, whose information is listed below, within 20 days whether you will comply with this request and provide the documents.

I work for Americans for Limited Government, but am not seeking this information for any commercial use. Disclosure of such information is in the public interest as it would likely contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government. I therefore request that any fees associated with this request be waived in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A)(iii), or at least be limited in accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II). I would also request that if you deny the fee waiver, that I

be notified in advance.

To the extent that you deny any part of this request, please cite specific exemptions to FOIA that you believe justifies your denial. In addition, for any documents withheld by the agency, please provide a description containing the information that would be required by *Vaughn v. Rosen*, 484 F.2d 820 (D.C. Cir. 1973), cert. denied, 415 U.S. 977 (1974). If you have any questions about these requests, please contact my counsel, Nathan Paul Mehrens, at (703) 383-0880 or [nathan@getliberty.org](mailto:nathan@getliberty.org).

Please send the requested records to the following address:

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Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,



William Wilson  
President