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Re: Freedom of Information Act request – received April 4, 2016

Dear Messrs. Schnare and Richardson:

The Office of the Attorney General for the Commonwealth of Virginia (hereinafter, "Office") acknowledges receipt of the above-referenced request in which you seek certain records pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act, Virginia Code Section 2.2-3700, *et seq.* (hereinafter, "FOIA"). Specifically, you request:

1. Please provide us **copies of all emails, including attachments, sent to or from (including also as cc: or bcc:) employees of the the [sic] Office of the Attorney General, except secretarial/administrative staff, which correspondence uses any of the following terms, anywhere in the email, including in the body, To, From, cc: and/or bcc: or Subject fields:**

a) "climate denial"

- b) "climate denier"
- c) "climate risk"

For the above-described request: responsive records will be **dated over the approximately three-month period from January 1, 2016 through the date you process this request.**

2. We also request copies of all correspondence between employees of the Virginia Attorney General's Office, except secretarial/administrative staff, and employees of the New York Attorney General's Office, dated between March 20, 2016 and March 30, 2016.

Please be advised that due to limited availability and present work demands of Office personnel to whom this request would be most efficiently assigned, it is practically impossible for the Office to identify, collect, review, and determine within five working days all of the records that may be responsive and whether or how it should exercise any discretion available to it under FOIA exemptions that may apply. Accordingly, the Office will take up to the additional seven work days afforded under Virginia Code Section 2.2-3704(B)(4) to provide a response to this request.

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,



Meaghan O'Brien
FOIA Administrator