



OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20530

September 29, 1972

Mr. Carl Stern
NBC News
4001 Nebraska Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20016

Dear Mr. Stern:

I have reviewed your letter of August 31, 1972 in which you again renew your request for information regarding a program of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. As I stated to you in my letter of August 21, 1972, the documents you have requested are exempt from public disclosure under 5 U. S. C. 552(b)(5) which exempts interagency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency. In addition, the documents are also exempt under 5 U. S. C. (b)(2) which exempts internal personnel rules and practices and (b)(7) which exempts investigatory files compiled for law enforcement purposes except to the extent available by law to a private party. Therefore, I again reaffirm the prior denial of your request for such documents.

You may request a review of this decision by filing a request for review within 30 days of the date hereof with the Attorney General, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. 20530, by certified mail. A copy of this letter should be enclosed and the request for review should include a statement of the circumstances, reasons, and arguments in support of the request for the documents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Ralph E. Erickson", is written over the typed name.

Ralph E. Erickson
Deputy Attorney General

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