



VIA EMAIL

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Dear Ms. Hermann:

This letter is in further response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated June 9, 2022 for access to Biden Vice Presidential records pertaining to all emails from the accounts of robinware456@gmail.com, JRBUare@gmail.com and Robert.L.Peters@pci.gov preserved through the National Archives and Records Administration. Your request was received by the Archival Operations Division on June 9, 2022. FOIA requests for Biden Vice Presidential records are processed and reviewed for access under provisions of the 1978 Presidential Records Act, as amended (PRA) (44 U.S.C. §§ 2201-2209), which incorporates the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. § 552) in substantial part.

We have completed processing approximately 309 Biden Vice Presidential email messages related to this request. Of this total, 175 email messages in whole and 73 email messages in part have been exempted from release in compliance with the restrictions of the PRA and applicable FOIA exemptions, which specify what material may be released to the public. All necessary steps were taken to segregate and release non-exempt information. The 175 email messages in whole and 73 email messages in part restricted from access are listed along with the exemption categories below. Some email messages may be restricted under more than one category.

P3/(b)(3) – 5 email messages (exempt under 10 USC 130b)
P5 – 45 email messages
P6/(b)(6) – 80 email messages
(b)(7)(C) – 1 email message
(b)(7)(E) – 1 email message
(b)(7)(F) – 1 email message
PRM – 130 email messages

The remaining 61 email messages in whole and 73 email messages in part are available for download at <https://www.archives.gov/research/vice-presidential-records/biden-records>. Click

on "Download Zip Files" for 2022-0113-F, your FOIA case number which will take you to a new page with links to the finding aids and records for all released segments of your request. You can then click on the two zip files under "Download Zip files" for 2022-0113-F [4].

We have also identified 44 email messages responsive to your request that were processed under a related FOIA request, 2023-0042-F, Records on Biden Family Connections. These records include emails messages from the accounts of robinware456@gmail.com, JRBWare@gmail.com and Robert.L.Peters@pci.gov and the following domains: @rosemontseneca.com, @senecaga.com, @lionhallgp.com, 261penn@gmail.com, hbiden@rosemontseneca.com, hbiden@senecaga.com, sbiden@lionhallgp.com, jbiden@lionhallgp.com.

Of the total, 29 email messages in whole and 8 email messages in part have been exempted from release in compliance with the restrictions of the PRA and applicable FOIA exemptions, which specify what material may be released to the public. All necessary steps were taken to segregate and release non-exempt information. The 29 email messages in whole and 8 email messages in part restricted from access are listed along with the exemption categories below. Some email messages may be restricted under more than one category.

P6/(b)(6) – 8 email messages
(b)(7)(C) – 1 email message
(b)(7)(E) – 1 email message
(b)(7)(F) – 1 email message
PRM – 29 email messages

The remaining 7 email messages in whole and 8 email messages in part are available for download at <https://www.archives.gov/research/vice-presidential-records/biden-records>. Click on "Download Zip Files" for 2023-0042-F which will take you to a new page with links to the finding aids and records for all released segments of this request. You can then click on the zip files under "Download Zip files" for 2023-0042-F [1], 2023-0042-F [2], 2023-0042-F [3].

A list of the PRA restrictions and FOIA exemptions, as well as a copy of the finding aid that describes the processed material are attached.

If you need any further assistance, please contact our staff at 202-357-5200 or presidential.materials@nara.gov. Your FOIA case number is 2022-0113-F. Please have this number accessible for reference during any future contact concerning this case.

You may also contact United States Department of Justice Attorney Jacob S. Siler, Jacob.S.Siler@usdoj.gov with any questions about this interim response.

Sincerely,



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