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Mr. Huber -

This continues our response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request (FWS-2014-01226) dated August 11, 2014, seeking records related to the Programmatic Biological Opinion on the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Issuance and Implementation of the Final Regulations Section 316(b) of the Clean Water Act.

Responding to your FOIA request has been a priority for this office and we have made great progress on the review of the responsive documents. Indeed, we are able to make a 7th partial release today of the responsive documents that we located. We are releasing 93 documents on a CD that we are mailing to you today.

As noted in our June 22, 2015, response letter, we are collaborating with five stakeholder Federal agencies to coordinate our records review and response to five FOIA requests related to the issuance of the 316(b) regulations. We have over 200 documents that are subject to interagency review through an equity review process that is currently in progress. We intend to send the final set of responsive documents to you no later than December 14, 2015.

Please contact me at 703-358-2096 if you have any questions about this response to your FOIA request.

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