



U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board

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December 18, 2009

Mr. Joe Carson
10953 Twin Harbour Drive
Knoxville, TN 37934

Dear Mr. Carson:

This is in response to a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated November 14, 2009, in which you request copies of all documents "related to the [Merit Systems Protection Board's (MSPB)] compliance with 5 U.S.C. 2302(c) by which the Chair/Board members are required to 'prevent prohibited personnel practices (PPP's)' in MSPB." We have processed your request in accordance with MSPB regulations at 5 CFR Part 1204 that implement FOIA.

We have conducted a search of MSPB records based on the information you provided, and we cannot locate any documents responsive to your request.

You have the right to appeal this determination that there are no existing records. If you decide to do so, your appeal should be addressed to the Chairman, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board, 1615 M Street, 5th Floor, Washington, DC 20419. Your appeal should be identified as a "FOIA Appeal" on both the letter and the envelope. It should include a copy of your request, a copy of this letter, and your argument for overturning this decision. The MSPB must receive your appeal within 10 workdays of the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W.D. Spencer".

William D. Spencer
Clerk of the Board

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