

To the Office of General Counsel:

Attached is a formal demand regarding fee waiver appeal **F-2025-30284**, filed September 26, 2025.

It has been over 70 days. We have received no acknowledgment, no tracking number, no response of any kind.

We requested a processing hold pending your decision. Your failure to decide the appeal creates an impossible situation - we cannot proceed without risking fees we cannot pay, yet you provide no timeline.

We demand within **7 business days**:

- Decision on the fee waiver appeal, OR
- Concrete timeline for decision, OR
- Confirmation we can proceed fee-free due to your unreasonable delay

If no response, we will withdraw the hold and demand immediate fee-free processing on grounds of constructive waiver through administrative neglect.

Attachment: Fee Waiver Appeal Status Demand - F-2025-30284 (3 pages)

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