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Animal and
Plant Health
Inspection
Service

Kelly Peevy
c/o Chamber Corporation
635 Discovery Drive
Huntsville, Alabama 35806

Legislative and
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Dear Ms. Peevy:

4700 River Road
Unit 50
Riverdale, MD
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This is in response to your November 29, 2010, Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request in which you are seeking all correspondence from or to USDA regarding Chris Zahnd from SHOW HIO or any other entity dating from January 1, 2009 through December 2010. Your request was received in this office on November 29, 2010, and assigned case number FOIA 11-099. We apologize for the delay of this response.

Agency employees conducted a thorough search of their files and have advised the FOIA office that our Agency has no records regarding Chris Zahnd for the specified time frame. Therefore, we have no records responsive to this request.

You may appeal our no records determination. If you choose to appeal, your appeal must be in writing and must be received within 45 days of the date of this letter to:

Administrator
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Ag Box 3401
Washington, D.C. 20250-3401

Please refer to FOIA 11-099 in your appeal letter and add the words FOIA Appeal to the front of the envelope. To assist the Administrator in reviewing your appeal, provide specific reasons why you believe modification of the initial decision is warranted.

Due to the delay in processing your request, all fees have been waived. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Deborah L. Leilich of my staff at (301) 734-3623.

Sincerely,


Tonya G. Woods
Director

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