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Freedom of Information Officer Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade 76/78 Harcourt Street Dublin 2, Ireland

Dear Freedom of Information Officer:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request documents relating to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade ("DFA")'s relationship with The Bill, Hillary and Chelsea Clinton Foundation ("The Clinton Foundation").¹

The documents requested are:

- > An accounting of how much money DFA has disbursed to the Clinton Foundation since Jan. 1, 2002.
- > A breakdown of what money went to which arm of the Clinton Foundation.
- A copy of any memoranda of understanding agreed between DFA and the Clinton Foundation during that time period.
- > Any audit documents reviewing the Clinton Foundation programmes during that time period.
- A list of all meetings between DFA officials and the Clinton Foundation since Jan. 1, 2008.

I am making this request as a reporter with AP. I ask that you waive any and all applicable fees associated with this request. If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the Act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material. I reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees.

As one of the world's oldest and largest news organization, the AP is a credible requester. I certify that my statements concerning the need for expedited review are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

If you deny expedited processing, I expect to receive a response to the request within four weeks, as the law requires.

I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone - e-mail <a href="mailto:rsatter@ap.org">rsatter@ap.org</a>, rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the purposes of this FOIA The Clinton Foundation includes the Foundation's various divisions and spinoffs, including the Clinton Presidential Center, the Clinton Economic Opportunity Initiative, the Clinton Health Access Initiative, the Alliance for a Healthier Generation, the Clinton Global Initiative, the Clinton Climate Initiative, the Clinton Development Initiative, the Clinton-Giustra Enterprise Partnership and the Clinton-Giustra Enterprise Partnership Initiative, the Clinton Foundation in Haiti, the Clinton Health Matters Initiative, the No Ceilings: The Full Participation Project and Too Small to Fail.

In the spirit of such cooperation and the presumption of disclosure, I look forward to your prompt response.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Raphael Satter

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