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NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY
CENTRAL SECURITY SERVICE
FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, MARYLAND 20755-6000

FOIA Case: 70175
3 April 2013

Mr. John L. Young
Cryptome
251 West 89th Street
New York, NY 10024-1739

Dear Mr. Young:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request submitted via the Internet on 24 March 2013, which was received by this office on 25 March 2013, for "Index of authors, titles and keywords for the Cryptologs from 1984-1997." Your request has been assigned Case Number 70175. For the purpose of fee assessment, you have been placed into the "all other" category for this request. As such, you are allowed 2 hours of search and 100 pages of duplication at no cost to you. There are no assessable fees for this request.

Your request has been processed under the provisions of the FOIA. A thorough search of our files was conducted, but no records responsive to your request were located. We contacted the reviewers responsible for the recent release of Cryptologs to inquire about the indices, and they indicated the Cryptologs dated from 1984 to 1997 did not contain indices. If they had been included in those publications, they would have been redacted and released as appropriate. We did not locate a separate index of the articles in the 1984 to 1997 Cryptologs.

The Initial Denial Authority for NSA information is the Deputy Associate Director for Policy and Records, D. M. Janosek. The fact that we were unable to locate records responsive to your request may be considered by you as an adverse determination, and you are hereby advised of this Agency's appeal procedures. Any person notified of an adverse determination may file an appeal to the NSA/CSS Freedom of Information Act Appeal Authority. The appeal must be postmarked no later than 60 calendar days after the date of the initial denial letter. The appeal shall be in writing addressed to the NSA/CSS FOIA Appeal Authority (DJ4), National Security Agency, 9800 Savage Road STE 6248, Fort George G. Meade, MD 20755-6248. To aid in processing the

appeal, it should reference the inability of the Agency to locate the records you seek, in sufficient detail and particularity, and the grounds upon which you believe this Agency maintains such records. The NSA/CSS FOIA Appeal Authority will endeavor to respond to the appeal within 20 working days after receipt, absent unusual circumstances.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Pamela N. Phillips".

PAMELA N. PHILLIPS

Chief

FOIA/PA Office
