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Commanding Officer, NAS Key West
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RE: Freedom Of Information Act Request
RE: F-22 Raptor Squadron training activity and aircraft servicing.
Related questions 1-5.

To Whom it may concern,

I am writing to request official answers to the following questions listed below.

1. Why did the F-22 Raptor Squadron abandon their confirmed schedule and cease their announced training agenda one week earlier than previously published?
2. Were there any reports of "fuel leakage" problems with any of the planes?
3. Did any Air Force Squadron service technicians or Navy service technicians report any fuel related problems with any of the aircraft?
4. Did any of the Air Force pilots (or associated personnel) report any fuel related problems with the planes?
5. Were there any service reports issued of any kind regarding the F-22 Raptors?

This request includes copies of every document related to the matter, regardless of the format in which the information is stored. If the information I am requesting is on a computer somewhere, that information stored on a computer is as much a public record as a written page in a book or stored in a filing cabinet.

If you refuse to provide this information, please advise me in writing and indicate the applicable exemption to the FOIA. Also, please state with particularity the reasons for your decision. If the exemption you are claiming only applies to a portion of the records, please delete that portion and provide photocopies of the remainder of the records.

I also request a waiver of all fees for this request. Disclosure of the requested information to me is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government and is not primarily in my commercial interest. However, if you anticipate that in order to satisfy this request, "extensive use" of information technology resources or extensive clerical or supervisory assistance will be required, please provide a written estimate and justification.

I request that these records be available by October 18, 2007. If you have any questions or need more information in order to expedite this request, please call me at 305-296-2469.

Sincerely,

Paul S. Caruso