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U.S. Department of Justice Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) Office of the General Counsel – FOIA Service Center FOIA/Privacy Act Requests 5107 Leesburg Pike, Suite 1903 Falls Church, VA 22041

Via email: <u>EOIR.FOIARequests@usdoj.gov</u>

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Sir or Madam:

The American Immigration Lawyers Association (AILA) submits this letter as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. §552, et. seq.

RECORDS SOUGHT

AILA requests the following from the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR):

• EOIR's "review of the Office of the Chief Immigration Judge workforce that, according to EOIR officials, addresses and mitigates gaps and more clearly defines roles and responsibilities." This review was identified in the U.S. Government Accountability Office's (GAO) Priority Open Recommendations: Department of Justice.

If EOIR does not have custody or control over the requested records but knows or believes that another department, agency, or private entity subject to FOIA does, please promptly forward this FOIA request to the appropriate recipient and inform the undersigned.

AILA respectfully requests a limitation of processing fees pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II). Please inform us if the charges for this FOIA production will exceed \$25.00. If you have any questions, please contact Laura Lynch at (202) 507-7627 or by email at llynch@aila.org.

Sincerely,

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¹ Government Accountability Office, "GAO-19-361SP DOJ Priority Recommendations," (Apr. 2019), https://www.gao.gov/assets/700/698610.pdf.

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