



Committee to Protect Journalists

To Whom It May Concern:

The Committee to Protect Journalists (“CPJ”) submits this request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”), 5 U.S.C. § 552, for records relating to the journalist Jamal Khashoggi. CPJ seeks the same documents requested by the Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University (“Knight Institute”) on October 19, 2018. The Knight Institute’s request is attached as Exhibit A.

CPJ requests expedited processing for the same reasons laid out in the Knight Institute’s request.

CPJ requests a waiver of document search, review, and duplication fees on the grounds that (a) disclosure of the requested records is in the public interest and is “likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government and is not primarily in the commercial interest of the requester,” 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(iii), and (b) CPJ is a “representative of the news media” within the meaning of FOIA and the records are not sought for commercial use, 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(ii)(II).