



We contacted the OLM to gain additional information to evaluate the adequacy of its search. OLM informed us that it conducted an extensive search for documents responsive to Mr. Lohman's request. This search included files in the DOE-LM Electronic Recordkeeping System (ERKS) for information potentially responsive to the request. The DOE-LM ERKS is an electronic information system database containing records, finding aids, and information for all records in its custody. As a result, OLM did not locate any records concerning Mr. Lohman's father. E-mail from John V. Montgomery, Archives and Information Management Team Leader, OLM, October 3, 2013.

Based on the description of the OLM's search, we find that it conducted a search that was reasonably calculated to uncover all relevant records and was therefore adequate. Therefore, we will deny the Appeal.

It Is Therefore Ordered That:

- (1) The Appeal that Ferdinand Lohman filed on October 2, 2013, OHA Case No. FIA-13-0064, is denied.
- (2) This is a final order of the Department of Energy from which any aggrieved party may seek judicial review pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B). Judicial review may be sought in the district in which the requester resides or has a principal place of business, or in which the agency records are situated, or in the District of Columbia.

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