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(U) F-2017-00178 – Request for first 5 years of The Recon

(U) IM transcript - [redacted] 31 January 2018

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Hi! When you have a second, could you check on something for me? Does [redacted] have copies of "The Recon" (produced by BPO/OCPA, I believe), dating from [redacted] or earlier?

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we do...how far back would you like to go?

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We have a requester looking for the first 5 years... I'm guessing that is a lot of stuff. How far back does it go?

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The earliest I see in a quick check is [redacted]

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That's me manually selecting them, since a search for Recon brings up a ton of stuff that's not related to the newsletter. I'll send you what I found with this initial search but will also take another look after lunch and try to narrow it down a bit. Let me know if you only want certain years. I could just do   if they want the first five years.

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If you can check to see if it is feasible to locate the actual newsletters from  that would be a good place to start. Does it appear that this will be a mess trying to figure out what is actual newsletters... and what is just related stuff? No huge hurry on this. This case is going to take a while, no matter what we end up doing.

Thanks!

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I don't think so...the titles on the documents are "the RECON Newsletter" and then the date. Looks like they were monthly.

And almost all of them are in one job

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Actually, the early ones are titled [redacted] and then have a volume and the date. But either way, I think they're organized fairly well.

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The Information Management gods must be smiling on us. For once. I'm hoping these are individual pages so it won't be a pain to scan. Anyway, when you have a chance to determine how much of a pain this will actually be, let me know!

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Oh and i didn't have to manually select them...I was able to narrow it down, so this list is very accurate. sending now.

(U//~~FOUO~~) [redacted]

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You are awesome! I'll check it out and let you know what we need to do next.

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