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Record Description:

Bids, contracts, or other acquisition documents related to US defense manufacturers receiving depleted uranium at no cost from the US government.

Preferred Form or Format: PDF

Type of Requester (if provided):

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Affiliated with an educational or noncommercial scientific institution, and this request is made for scholarly or scientific purpose and not for commercial use.

Fees and Fee Waivers:

I request a waiver or reduction of fees.

Waiver or Reduction of Fees Factors (if provided):

1. The subject of the request: Whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government."

The subject of the request concerns the activities of the DOE oversight of nuclear materials.

2. The informative value of the information to be disclosed: Whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities.

Disclosure is likely to contribute to an understanding of the advantage for the use of depleted uranium munitions in US operations.

4. The significance of the contribution to public understanding: Whether the disclosure is likely to contribute "significantly" to public understanding of government operations or activities.

The disclosure is likely to contribute significantly to the reasoning for using depleted uranium munitions rather than a alternative such as tungsten.

Expedited Processing:

Specific Justification for Expedited Processing:

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