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The Honorable Anthony J. Principi
Chairman
Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission
2521 South Clark Street, Suite 600
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Dear Chairman Principi,

Pursuant to Section 2914(d)(2) of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990 (10 U.S.C.A. 2687 note), I am writing to request all information used by the Base Realignment and Closure Commission ("Commission") in (1) deciding to consider the closure or realignment of Naval Air Station ("NAS") Oceana, Virginia and (2) recommending to relocate the U.S. Navy's East Coast master jet base from NAS Oceana to former NAS Cecil Field, Florida unless the Commonwealth of Virginia ("Commonwealth"), the City of Virginia Beach, and Chesapeake, Virginia (collectively "the local governments") meet certain criteria.

This request includes, but is not limited to, any legal or policy memoranda, technical analyses, Department of Defense reports, Commission reports, contractor reports, economic analyses, correspondence, and any other records that relate in any way to the Commission's decision on NAS Oceana.

I appreciate and thank you for your attention to this request and I will look forward to your response. If you require further information relating to this issue, please contact me or Mike Cosio of my staff at 202-225-4215.

Sincerely,



Thelma Drake
Member of Congress