



FOIPA Request for: Paul Newman, c/o Dan Nguyen

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To: "foiparequest@ic.fbi.gov" <foiparequest@ic.fbi.gov>

Thu, Aug 27, 2015 at 12:29 PM

August 27, 2015

To the FOIA Officer, FBI Record/Information Dissemination Section

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I hereby request the following records:

The FBI file on actor Paul Newman.

Mr. Newman passed away on September 26, 2008. His obituary appeared in the New York Times:

<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/09/28/movies/28newman.html>

I also request that, if appropriate, fees be waived as I believe this request is in the public interest. The requested documents will be made available to the general public free of charge as part of a reporting class at the Stanford Journalism program, processed by a representative of the news media/press and is made in the process of news gathering and not for commercial usage.

In the event that fees cannot be waived, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Thank you,

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Thu, Aug 27, 2015 at 6:06 PM

Mr. Sobonya was in the middle of looking at my request. I'm not sure if he left before he received my latest update, so I wanted to pass this request along to whomever is available.

Below his auto-response is a copy of the message thread, including my original FOIPA.

Thank you,
Dan Nguyen
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From: Sobonya, David P. (RMD) (FBI) <David.Sobonya@ic.fbi.gov>
Sent: Thursday, August 27, 2015 4:05 PM
To: Dan Nguyen
Subject: Out of Office: FOIPA Request for: Paul Newman, c/o Dan Nguyen

I am currently unavailable and for assistance please forward all inquiries to foiparequest@ic.fbi.gov.

Questions can also be directed to foipaquestions@ic.fbi.gov or by calling (540) 868-4593.

Information can be faxed to (540) 868-4391/4997.

To Check the Status of Your FOIPA Request please access: <http://vault.fbi.gov/fdps-1@@search-fdps>.
Requests are updated weekly.

To access the FBI's Freedom of Information Act website please access:
<http://www.fbi.gov/foia>.

To access the FBI's FOIA Library please access:
<http://vault.fbi.gov/>.

Thank you,

Thu 8/27/2015 4:05 PM

To: Sobonya, David P. (RMD) (FBI) <David.Sobonya@ic.fbi.gov>;

Bcc: dansonguyen@gmail.com <dansonguyen@gmail.com>;

In regards to item:

 X A current and complete mailing address is required as the FBI does not send releases and/or correspondence by electronic means.

My mailing address is:

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From: Sobonya, David P. (RMD) (FBI) <David.Sobonya@ic.fbi.gov>

Sent: Thursday, August 27, 2015 12:38 PM

To: Dan Nguyen

Subject: RE: FOIPA Request for: Paul Newman, c/o Dan Nguyen

Dear Mr. Nguyen,

Before the FBI can process your Freedom of Information Act/Privacy (FOIPA) request you must provide the following information highlighted with an **"X" Mark**.

 X A current and complete mailing address is required as the FBI does not send releases and/or correspondence by electronic means.

 Proof of death is required such as: (death certificate, obituary, written media, recognized source that can be documented, Who's Who in America, FBI file that indicates subject is deceased, or the Social Security Death Index Page). **Proof of death is not required if date of birth is 100 years ago or greater but a date of birth is needed**

 A website link in itself does not satisfy the proof of death requirement(Please provide the actual documentation and source)

 The U. S. Department of Justice DOJ-361 Form (Certification of Identity) requires an **original and legible signature**. Digital signatures or a scanned version are also acceptable.

 The U. S. Department of Justice DOJ-361 Form (Certification of Identity) and/or privacy waiver is not legible, properly sized or cannot be accessed in the submitted format. Please send the attachment or attachments independently in either a Word Document or PDF. *The documents must be compatible with Microsoft Office 2007 products.*

 Other information as stated:

_____The attachments cannot be opened in the present format. Please resend either as a pdf or a Word Document.

Please complete and submit the required information in order for the FBI to process your request.

Information regarding the Freedom of Information Act/Privacy is available at<http://www.fbi.gov/> or <http://www.fbi.gov/foia/>. If you require additional assistance please contact me.

Thank you,

David P. Sobonya
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From: Dan Nguyen [mailto:dun@stanford.edu]
Sent: Thursday, August 27, 2015 3:30 PM
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