

## Racial Disparity in Military Justice

Findings of Substantial and Persistent Racial Disparities Within the United States Military Justice System

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# Protect Our Defenders Requests Under the Freedom of Information Act





March 7, 2016

TO: SAF/AAII (FOIA) 1000 Air Force Pentagon Washington, DC 20330-1000

FROM:

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To Whom It May Concern,

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TO:

Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps FOIA/PA Section (ARSF) 3000 Marine Corps Pentagon Washington, DC 20350-3000

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Chief of Naval Operations (DNS-36) 2000 Navy Pentagon Washington, DC 20350-2000

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Commandant (CG-611) ATTN: FOIA Coordinator US Coast Guard Stop 7710 2703 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. SE Washington, DC 20593-7710

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## Department of the Air Force FOIA Response

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#### DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

HEADQUARTERS AIR FORCE LEGAL OPERATIONS AGENCY

April 14, 2016

Colonel Julie J.R. Huygen Chief, Military Justice Division Air Force Legal Operations Agency 1500 W Perimeter Rd Ste 1130 JB Andrews MD 20762

Ms. Miranda Petersen 110 Maryland Ave NE Ste 505 Washington DC 20002

Dear Ms. Petersen

This letter responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request concerning information on rates per thousand for courts-martial and nonjudicial punishment. Attached you will find the requested information for the years ranging from 2006 through 2015.

If you interpret this response as an adverse action, you may appeal by writing to the Secretary of the Air Force within 60 calendar days from the date of this letter. Address your appeal as follows:

Secretary of the Air Force Through: SAF/AAII (FOIA) 1000 Air Force Pentagon Washington DC 20330-1000

If you have any questions or require additional information concerning the request, please contact us at the above address or call (240) 612-4820.

Sincerely

JULIE J.R. HUŸGEN, Colonel, USAF

Attachment:

Court-Martial and Nonjudicial Punishment Rates Per Thousand (2006-2015)

#### **Department of the Air Force FOIA Response**



#### **USAF RPT Data**

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/2.-USAF-RPT-Data.pdf

#### Corrected USAF RPT Data<sup>1</sup>

http://protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/3.-USAFRPT-CORRECTED.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> There were discrepancies in the data the Department of the Air Force originally sent, so Protect Our Defenders followed up with the Department of the Air Force regarding these discrepancies. As a result, "Corrected USAF RPT Data" is the corrected version of the original data.







#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS 3000 MARINE CORPS PENTAGON WASHINGTON, DC 20350-3000

> 5720 ARSF-JH MAY 0 6 2016

SENT VIA FOIA ONLINE TO: MPETERSEN@PROTECTOURDEFENDERS.COM MS MIRANDA PETERSEN 110 MARYLAND AVE SUITE 505 WASHINGTON DC 20002

Dear Ms. Petersen:

SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST, FILE NUMBER DON-USMC-2016-004671

This is our final response to your March 7, 2016, FOIA request for information about the race and rank of Marines who have been taken to courts-martial or non-judicial punishment (NJP) over the past 10 years. We received your request on March 18<sup>th</sup> and controlled it under file number **DON-USMC-2016-004671**. This also follows up our letter to you of April 13<sup>th</sup>, in which we invoked the 10-day extension of time permitted by 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(B)(iii), and our letter of April 29<sup>th</sup> advising you that we had identified responsive information and determined that it was releasable.

As indicated in our most recent correspondence, we initiated searches of the records maintained by our Manpower & Reserve Affairs Division (M&RA) and the Judge Advocate Division (JAD). Those searches located the data you requested, and we have enclosed a copy of the results. In an effort to assist you, JAD personnel also calculated the 'rates per thousand' statistics that you requested, and those are included on the spreadsheets. Please be advised that the information enclosed does <u>not</u> include courts-martial or NJPs that resulted in a finding of 'not guilty'. That data is not tracked in our databases so any such outcomes are not included in the final analysis.

If you consider this to be an adverse determination, you may submit an appeal to the Judge Advocate General (Code 14), 1322 Patterson Avenue SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066. Your appeal, if any, must be postmarked within 60 calendar days from the date of this letter and should include a copy of your initial request, a copy of this letter, and a statement indicating why you believe your appeal should be granted.

We have categorized you as an "other requester" for the purpose of assessing FOIA processing fees. As such, you are entitled to two hours of search time and 100 pages of duplication free of charge but are responsible for the payment of any fees beyond that. In this instance, the applicable fees did not exceed your free entitlement so there is no charge for processing this request.

Enclosures



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I am the official responsible for this determination. If you have questions concerning this action, please contact Mr. Jason Hadnot of my staff at (703) 614-4008, or via email to hqmcfoia@usmc.mil or fax at (703) 614-6287.

Sincerely,

S. A. HUGHES

Head, FOIA/PA Section



#### **USMC RPT Data**

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#### Corrected USMC RPT Data<sup>2</sup>

#### FY06:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-06.pdf

#### FY07:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-07.pdf

#### FY08:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-08.pdf

#### FY09:

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#### FY10:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-10.pdf

#### FY11:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-11.pdf

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#### FY12:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-12.pdf

#### FY13:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-13.pdf

#### FY14:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-14.pdf

#### FY15:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/FY06-FY-15.pdf



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E4	2832	4838	21835	3809	
E5	3804	4600	15133	2143	25680
E6	2594	2381	7997	1049	14021
E7	1695	1046	4797	580	8118
E8	945	355	1956	211	3467
E9	480	142	812	71	1505
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W2	124	84	543	54	805
W3	89	42	374	26	531
W4	37	20	201	13	271
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03	405	384	4181	388	5358
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06	25	11	644	19	699
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2007	19469	22317	128475	16273	186534
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E2	1719	1853	15991	1452	21015
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E6	2521	2382	8010	1109	14022
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О3	373	394	4428	411	5606
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W5	16	5 176	73	2	96
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06	23	15	627	22	687
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E1	1093	1139	8731	713	11676



E2	1739	1446	14406	1054	18645
E3	4585	5637	40101	3228	53551
E4	3376	4660	26010	2730	36776
E5	3309	4650	18712	2754	29425
E6	2582	2911	9529	1389	16411
E7	1573	1561	5232	691	9057
E8	877	512	2320	297	4006
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W2	96	109	576	62	843
W3	74	59	381	28	542
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03	299	422	5022	429	6172
04	309	245	2994	259	3807
05	91	64	1648	81	1884
06	21	14	626	26	687
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E2	1788	2654	14473	1446	20361
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E4	3533	4602	26752	2526	37413
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E7	1519	1673	5183	713	9088
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03	289	434	5674	514	6911
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<b>O</b> 5	102	83	1641	98	1924
06	22	15	629	21	687
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E1	1230	2230	8186	860	12506
E2	2327	3716	15027	1682	22752
E3	4218	6531	33801	3256	47806
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E6	2134	2770	8890	1359	15153
E7	1464	1660	4983	708	8815
E8	743	669	2289	329	4030
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W2	106	125	588	88	907
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06	29	16	616	24	685
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E2	2023	3482	11778	1386	18669
E3	4126	6977	30046	3134	44283
E4	3690	5623	26588	2862	38763
E5	3068	3937	17998	2238	27241
E6	1983	2663	8672	1342	14660
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W2	90	123	542	83	838
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01	80	164	1430	206	1880
O2	152	231	2898	328	3609
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O5	126	92	1593	114	1925
06	32	18	618	25	693
07-010	5	4	73	1	83
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E2	2194	3848	12365	1356	19763
E3	4013	7352	27330	3078	41773
E4	3668	6044	24608	2871	37191
E5	3064	3963	17507	2261	26795
E6	1641	2346	7975	1277	13239
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E8	669	710	2079	322	3780
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06	34	18	598	27	677
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#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

OFFICE OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL CRIMINAL LAW DIVISION (CODE 20) 1254 CHARLES MORRIS STREET SE SUITE B01 WASHINGTON. DC 20374-5124

> IN REPLY REFER TO: 5720 Ser 20/699 JUN 7 2016

Ms. Miranda Petersen Protect our Defenders 110 Maryland Ave. NE, Suite 505 Washington, DC 20002

Dear Ms. Petersen:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act request of March 21, 2016, in which you requested information pertaining to the race and rank of personnel who went to court-martial or received non-judicial punishment. Your request was received on April 1, 2016, and assigned JAG file number DON-NAVY-2016-004672.

Your request has been processed in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. § 552), Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. § 552a), Part 701 of Title 32 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the Department of the Navy Freedom of Information Act Program (SECNAVINST 5720.42F), and the Department of the Navy Privacy Act Program (SECNAVINST 5211.5E).

Your request sought "rates per thousand data" for disciplinary actions under the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ). Please note that neither the Office of the Judge Advocate General nor any other entity within the Navy tracks that information. However, a review of available systems revealed potentially responsive information. Enclosed, please find an unredacted copy of a spreadsheet reflecting all courts-martial race and rank data retrieved from our Case Management System (CMS) from fiscal year 2014 to April 19, 2016. The data covers U.S. Navy and Marine Corps cases, but is limited to those cases handled by a Navy Region Legal Service Office Trial Department. This data also includes any court-martial case that resulted in an alternative disposition. Please note CMS is the only Navy system that captures race data in relationship to disciplinary actions. Also, please be advised that CMS did not track race prior to fiscal year 2014, so data for prior years is not available.

The courts-martial data lists two categories that require explanation. For CMS purposes, race data is retrieved from available sources, including personnel files. The race category "other" is defined in MILPERSMAN, Chapter 19, as a person whose choice of an ethnic group is not listed and who chooses not to be associated with any other ethnic groups. Also, within CMS, the race category "unknown" could reflect the category is unknown within personnel files, as further discussed below, or it could reflect that race data was unknown to the individuals entering the data at the time. Unfortunately, no further delineation is available at this time.



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With regard to race and rank for non-judicial punishment actions, the Navy's tracking of non-judicial punishment actions is contained in our Quarterly Criminal Activity, Disciplinary Infractions and Courts-Martial Report. These reports do not document race; they simply track the number of actions. That data is reported in our annual Code Committee reports, which may be found at: http://www.armfor.uscourts.gov/newcaaf/ann reports.htm.

Also attached is a spreadsheet reporting race and rank data for the Navy, retrieved by Navy Personnel Command, as May 18, 2016. For official Navy demographics information, the most recent report is available at: <a href="http://www.navy.mil/docs/NavyDemographics-31Mar15-ActiveDutyOnly.pdf">http://www.navy.mil/docs/NavyDemographics-31Mar15-ActiveDutyOnly.pdf</a>. Within the spreadsheet, you will note two race categories that bear explanation. The spreadsheet provides data for a race category described as "other." For personnel purposes, the category "other" indicates the individual identified more than one race. The spreadsheet also includes a category of individuals who chose not to identify their race, and were therefore not counted in the category totals.

Although the Navy does not maintain "rates per thousand" data, the table below provides information related to dispositions broken down by race. The racial data is as contained within CMS and the disposition numbers are the numbers of UCMJ actions tantamount to a finding of guilty, including the imposition of NJP, and a finding of guilty at summary, special or general courts-martial contained within CMS.

Race	FY14	FY15	FY16	Total Force Data as of May 18, 2016
Asian	17	14	2	17,501
Black	68	64	28	56,337
Caucasian	182	196	85	199,399
Hispanic	34	31	8	Tracked as ethnicity
Native American	3	1	1	8,867
Other	126	141	78	27,712
Unknown	2	9	7	11,158

If you believe that an adequate search was not conducted, you may consider this an adverse determination of your request that may be appealed to the Department of the Navy, Office of the Judge Advocate General (Code 14), 1322 Patterson Avenue SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066. If you wish to appeal, please include a copy of your original request, a copy of this letter, your supporting rationale on why the appeal should be granted, and any other information you would like considered in adjudicating your appeal. The appeal must be postmarked no later than 60 calendar days from the date on this letter. Both the appeal letter and the envelope should



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bear the notation, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Thomas Gauzer at (202) 685-6965 or via email at foiamiljus@navy.mil.

Sincerely,

W. A. RECORD CAPT, JAGC, USN

Director

Enclosure



#### **USN Disposed Cases**

#### Summary by Pay Grade and Race:

http://protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/Summary-Pay-and-Race.pdf

#### **Disposition Information:**

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/2-Disposition-information.pdf

#### **USN Race and Rank Totals**

#### Officer:

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/3-Officer.pdf

#### **Enlisted:**

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/3-Enlisted.pdf



#### **Active Duty Navy Demographics by the Numbers**

Data as of 31 March 2015

					Enlisted					
Rank	Gender	American Indian / Alaska Native	Asian	Black	Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander	White	Decline to Respond	Multiple Race Codes	<u>Total</u>	<u>Hispanic</u>
E1	Male	118	299	1717	78	4784	316	610	7922	1261
	Female	45	87	751	27	1293	90	217	2510	477
E2	Male	159	452	2280	107	6793	398	977	11166	1812
	Female	68	110	826	33	1755	108	351	3251	638
E3	Male	903	2043	7802	439	24411	1263	5119	41980	6355
	Female	309	560	3287	143	6157	379	1705	12540	2350
E4	Male	1577	1844	6080	514	23522	725	6287	40549	6833
	Female	400	492	2570	152	4930	219	1796	10559	2020
E5	Male	2748	2815	8681	875	29281	830	6345	51575	9871
	Female	497	598	3001	187	4560	219	1468	10530	2353
E6	Male	1699	2770	6705	413	24854	1778	1538	39757	6263
	Female	244	404	1998	84	2681	304	233	5948	1052
E7	Male	490	1403	3147	136	11993	785	447	18401	2363
	Female	53	180	890	18	1056	143	55	2395	368
E8	Male	97	442	927	26	3923	173	101	5689	624
Lo	Female	11	25	148	2	243	20	11	460	59
E9	Male	22	143	360	10	1726	50	28	2339	184
E9	Female	1	11	50	1	94	5	1	163	23
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Rank	<u>Gender</u>	American Indian / Alaska Native	<u>Asian</u>	Black	Warrant Offic  Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander	White	Decline to Respond	Multiple Race Codes	<u>Total</u>	Hispanic
W2	Male	12	40	104	<u>Islander</u>	311	23	11	502	63
WZ		0	0	23	1	19	0	1	44	2
****	Female									
W3	Male	9	25	161	5	380	18	15	613	56
	Female	0	0	13	0	14	1	0	28	5
W4	Male	7	25	89	1	251	15	2	390	34
	Female	0	0	15	1	9	0	0	25	1
W5	Male	1	4	7	1	54	2	0	69	4
	Female	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	6	1
				Co	ommissioned O	fficers				
Rank	<u>Gender</u>	American Indian / Alaska Native	Asian	Black	Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander	White	Decline to Respond	Multiple Race Codes	<u>Total</u>	Hispanic
O1	Male	40	252	375	30	4235	166	301	5399	489
	Female	13	85	149	11	957	147	81	1443	163
O2	Male	41	199	250	25	3897	147	221	4780	376
	Female	12	57	124	15	946	59	92	1305	112
O3	Male	144	679	1031	66	12163	534	438	15055	1098
	Female	25	228	389	20	2525	129	152	3468	281
04	Male	56	405	650	29	7087	331	177	8735	555
	Female	15	96	215	12	1132	74	50	1594	119
O5	Male	27	211	353	18	5003	236	66	5914	374
	Female	4	48	107	5	571	33	18	786	46
	Male	9	72	131	7	2460	81	30	2790	109
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06	Female					92	1	3	100	2
	Male	0	1	3		-	_	_	0	
07	Male Female	0	1	1	0	6	0	0	8	0
07	Male Female Male	0 0 0	1 4	1 5	0	51	0	0	60	2
O7 O8	Male Female Male Female	0 0 0	1 4 1	1 5 0	0 0 0	51 6	0	0	60 7	2
O7 O8	Male Female Male Female Male	0 0 0 0	1 4 1 0	1 5 0	0 0 0 0	51 6 28	0 0 0	0 0 0	60 7 29	1 0
O7 O8 O9	Male Female Male Female Male Female Male	0 0 0 0 0	1 4 1 0	1 5 0 1 0	0 0 0 0	51 6 28 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	60 7 29 4	2 1 0 0
O7 O8	Male Female Male Female Male	0 0 0 0	1 4 1 0	1 5 0	0 0 0 0	51 6 28	0 0 0	0 0 0	60 7 29	1 0

Note: USN Data includes Hispanic as an ethnicity. Members selecting Hispanic are also counted in their chosen racial group.







DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY Office of the Judge Advocate General Criminal Law Division 2200 Army Pentagon Washington, D.C. 20310-2200

December 20, 2016

Criminal Law Division

Ms. Miranda Petersen Protect Our Defenders 110 Maryland Avenue NE, Suite 505 Washington, D.C. 20002

Dear Ms. Petersen:

This letter responds to your FOIA Request seeking rates per thousand data related to Uniform Code of Military Justice actions, FOIA number FA16-1757.

Data relating to rates per thousand by race/ethnic groups for combined general and special courts-martial is enclosed.

This office has no responsive records relating to your request for data concerning rank, trials by summary court-martial or non-judicial punishment.

The determination that there are, in part, no records responsive to your request is made on behalf of Lieutenant General Flora D. Darpino, The Judge Advocate General. Should you view this as an adverse determination, you may appeal this determination within sixty days of this letter to the Secretary of the Army, ATTN: Office of the General Counsel, Room 3C546, 104 Army Pentagon, Washington, D.C. 20310-0104.

Sincerely,

Walter M. Hudson

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Chief, Criminal Law Division



#### **USA RPT Data**

http://www.protectourdefenders.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/USA-RPT-Data.png



## Department of the Coast Guard FOIA Response

### **Department of the Coast Guard FOIA Response**



U.S. Department of Homeland Security
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Coast Guard

Commandant United States Coast Guard 2703 Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave. SE Washington, DC 20593-7213 Staff Symbol: CG-LMJ Phone: (202) 372-3734 Fax: (202) 372-8325

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Miranda Petersen Protect Our Defenders 110 Maryland Ave NE, Suite 505 Washington, D.C. 20002

Dear Ms. Petersen:

This letter is the final response to your March 7, 2016 request under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) addressed to the U.S. Coast Guard. You requested copies of rates per thousand by race and rank of the subject (defendant) for all General courts-martial, Special courts-martial, Summary courts-martial, and Article 15 non-judicial punishment for each year over the past ten years. Further your request states this information is typically tracked by the Office of the Judge Advocate General. Your request was received in this office on April 21, 2016.

This is not a Denial. The Coast Guard does not use the measures in your request and does not have records that include rates per thousand by race or rank with regard to any of the fora under the Military Justice system.

While an adequate search was conducted, you have the right to appeal this determination that no records exist within the Coast Guard that would be responsive to your request. Should you wish to do so, you must send your appeal and a copy of this letter, within 60 days of the date of this letter, to:

COMMANDANT (CG-611)
US COAST GUARD
ATTN: FOIA/PA OFFICER
2703 MARTIN LUTHER KING AVE. STOP 7710
WASHINGTON DC 20593-7710

Following the procedures outlined in the DHS FOIA regulations at 6 C.F.R. § 5.9. Your envelope and letter should be marked "FOIA Appeal." Copies of the FOIA and DHS regulations are available at www.dhs.gov/foia.

If you need to contact our office concerning this request, please call 202-372-3824 and refer to 2016-CGFO-01386.

Sincerely,

R. L. SARGENT

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard

Chief, Office of Military Justice (CG-LMJ) Office of the Judge Advocate General