

***Before submitting a request for records please read the guidance found under the "How to Submit a Request" tab.**

About FOIA

The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), [5 USC 552](#), serves as the vehicle to obtain federal agency records, unless the records (or any portion thereof) are protected from disclosure by one of FOIA's nine exemptions or one of its three special law enforcement record exclusions. The OCC's disclosure regulation is located at [12 CFR 4](#). As a bureau of the United States Department of the Treasury, the OCC also complies with Treasury regulations. For further information about the Department of the Treasury's disclosure requirements, visit the [Department of the Treasury FOIA site](#). This Web page provides members of the general public with basic information on how to gain access to records maintained by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

About the Privacy Act

The Privacy Act of 1974, 5 USC 552a, serves as the vehicle whereby individuals can gain access to information about themselves that is maintained in a system of records under the control of a federal agency. If you are requesting records about yourself or records contained in a Privacy Act system of records please attach the required consent and proof of identity documents to your request before submitting.

Submit or Check the Status of an Appeal, FOIA or Privacy Act Request Online

Register to create an online account or Sign In to your existing account, to submit a FOIA or Privacy Act request or an Appeal. As you navigate the request submission steps please follow all prompts, look for red system warnings, and make sure that all required fields are completed. The ability to check the status details of a request, send a message to the assigned specialist, or retrieve records delivered electronically becomes available once signed in.

Submit a Certified Documents Request

We have changed our process and fee structure for these requests. Please read the revised instructions for [Certified Documents](#) request completely before submitting a new request. Due to COVID-19, in cases where records are unavailable, we will not be able to process the request, a refund will be issued and the request will be closed.

Search the FOIA Library

Search or browse the [FOIA Library](#) to view agency documents and corporate applications received during the public comment period.

Note all requests should be submitted online via this application. Feel free to contact us at (202) 649-6700 if you have any questions or issues concerning the submission of a request.