



FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580
United States of America

DEC 31 2014

Raj Srivastava



Re: FOIA-2015-00274
Investigations re Gawker
Media, et al.

Dear Mr. Srivastava:

This is in response to your request dated December 06, 2014 under the Freedom of Information Act seeking access to all current and past investigative records concerning Gawker Media LLC and its websites, including: gizmodo.com, lifehacker.com, gawker.com, kotaku.com, deadspin.com, jezebel.com, io9.com and kinja.com. In accordance with the FOIA and agency policy, we have searched our records, as of December 8, 2014, the date we received your request in our FOIA office.

This letter intends to notify you that any additional documents our search may have located would be exempt from disclosure under FOIA Exemption 7(A), 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(7)(A), because disclosure of that material could reasonably be expected to interfere with the conduct of the Commission's law enforcement activities. *See Robbins Tire & Rubber Co. v. NLRB*, 437 U.S. 214 (1978).

If you are not satisfied with this response to your request, you may appeal by writing to Freedom of Information Act Appeal, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20580, or by facsimile at (202) 326-2477 within 30 days of the date of this letter. Please enclose a copy of your original request and a copy of this response. If you believe that we should choose to disclose additional materials beyond what the FOIA requires, please explain why this would be in the public interest.

If you have any questions about the way we handled your request or about the FOIA regulations or procedures, please contact Jacqueline Lightle at 202-326-3737.

Sincerely,

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