

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

Freedom of Information Act Officer
National Transportation Safety Board
490 L'Enfant Plaza, SW
Washington, DC 20594

Dear FOIA Officer:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I respectfully request a single, discrete category of records concerning American Airlines Flight 77 (a Boeing 757), which struck the Pentagon on September 11, 2001.

Records Requested

Please provide the record, report, appendix, evidence inventory, or equivalent document that **lists serialized or otherwise uniquely identifiable aircraft components (“critical components”) recovered from the Pentagon crash site**, together with the corresponding **serial numbers, part numbers, or unique identifiers** for those components.

For purposes of clarity, “critical components” includes major serialized aircraft assemblies such as engines, flight recorders, landing gear, flight-control surfaces, or other principal structural or mechanical parts, but **only to the extent that they appear on an existing list or inventory**. I am not requesting underlying investigative files, photographs, laboratory analyses, or chain-of-custody documents — only the list itself if it exists.

If the list appears within a longer report, I request only the specific pages containing that inventory.

Request for Vaughn Index

If any responsive record or portion thereof is withheld, please provide a Vaughn index describing each withheld document (or portion), the statutory exemption claimed, and the basis for the determination.

Fee Waiver Request

The Wisdom Fund (EIN 54-1755689) is a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization under 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3). This request is made strictly for educational and public-interest purposes and not for commercial use.

The information obtained will be **disseminated worldwide** through our website **twf.org** (established in 1995). The Wisdom Fund's educational book, *9/11 UNVEILED*, is available free of charge and has been downloaded about 200,000 times. Draft translations in Chinese and Arabic are also available further expanding access to our research. *9/11 UNVEILED* has been called the "best short summary" by **Nixon's foreign policy advisor; co-founder of the Center for Strategic and International Studies.**

Disclosure of these records will contribute significantly to public understanding of government investigative activities relating to a major historical event. We request a waiver of all search, review, and duplication fees pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(iii). If the waiver is not granted, please notify me before incurring any costs exceeding \$25.

Processing Preferences

- 1 — Please provide responsive records in electronic format whenever possible.
- 2 — Please release all reasonably segregable portions of otherwise exempt material.
- 3 — If another agency is the custodian of these records, please refer this request and inform me of the referral.

Thank you for your consideration and commitment to transparency.

Sincerely,

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On behalf of The Wisdom Fund