

FOIA Docket No. 22-2023

July 28, 2023

Dr. Miguel A. Gallardo Calle Fernando Poo 16 Piso 6 puerta B Madrid, Spain 28045

Sent via electronic mail to: apedanica.ong@gmail.com

Dear Miguel A. Gallardo:

The United States Copyright Office (Office) received your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request on May 8, 2023, and assigned it docket 22-2023. In that request, you asked for:

"...as the sole owner of the Internet domains miguelgallardo.es and cita.es, I am requesting on behalf of all individuals who have been affected by illegal censorship through fake DMCA Copyright Infringement complaints. The purpose is to obtain any information or records related to:

1° Any data or reference known by U.S. Copyright Office concerning any DMCA Copyright Infringement Complaint in any record or file under FOIA related with Internet domains cita.es or miguelgallardo.es owned by me.

2° Any data or reference known to the U.S. Copyright Office regarding any DMCA Copyright Infringement Complaint in any record or file under FOIA related to "Kuailian" or "Kuailian App" or any business associated with Kuailian managers such as Cristian Albeiro CARMONA HERNÁNDEZ and David Aurelio RUIZ DE LEÓN GARCÍA VAO mentioned in the document published (and censored) at <u>https://cita.es/auto/kualian-abu-dabi.pdf</u>[.]"

The Office has determined that your request falls within the unusual circumstances provision of FOIA, and we cannot provide a complete response within twenty days. *See* 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(B)(iii). To satisfy your request, the Office must search for and collect the requested records from multiple departments within the Office. 37 C.F.R. § 203.7(c)(2)(iii). The Office has limited staff and resources to handle the processing of such a request.

As such, we are now reaching out to narrow the scope of your request, which may speed up the processing time. In particular, **please provide the office with a reasonable time frame for your search.** Based on your response, we will continue

our search and also be able to estimate approximately how many weeks or months it will take to process your request.

If we do not hear from you within thirty days, we will assume that you no longer with for us to proceed with processing this request.

File closed if no response in thirty days. For administrative reasons, this file will be considered closed thirty days from the date of this letter if you do not respond or otherwise contact the Office. However, you are welcome to contact us again at a later date to renew your request.

If you do contact us again about this request, please reference Docket No. 22-2023 or provide a copy of at least the first page of this letter. You may write to us at: U.S. Copyright Office, FOIA Requester Service Center, PIE, PO Box 70400, Washington, DC 20024.

Right to appeal. Should you believe that this response constitutes an improper denial of a valid FOIA request, you may file a written appeal postmarked within ninety days of the date of this letter. Your appeal should clearly identify the agency determination that is being appealed, include the assigned Docket No. 22-2023, and include a statement explaining the basis for the appeal. Write "Freedom of Information Act Appeal" on the letter and envelope in a prominently visible manner and send it to: Register of Copyrights, U.S. Copyright Office, PO Box 70400, Washington, DC 20024.

Right to seek dispute resolution. You can also seek dispute resolution services from the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS), within the National Archives and Records Administration. If you choose to do so, please refer to this page for more information: <u>ogis.archives.gov/mediation-program/request-assistance.htm</u>. Otherwise, you can email them at <u>ogis@nara.gov</u> or contact them by regular mail at the following address:

Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) National Archives and Records Administration 8601 Adelphi Road College Park, MD 20740-6001

Sincerely,

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George Thuronyi Deputy Director Office of Public Information and Education U.S. Copyright Office