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Mr. Chester E. Davis
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Dear Mr. Davis:

This responds to your correspondence dated September 12, 2007, in which you attempted to appeal from the action of the United States Tax Court on your request for access to records pertaining to twenty-five United States Tax Court Judges.

Please be advised that the federal Freedom of Information Act permits access to records maintained by executive branch agencies of the federal government only. This statute does not grant any right to records maintained by the courts. Accordingly, this Office is unable to assist you in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Anne D. Work".

Anne D. Work
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