

Sample First Amendment Request

To: Director, Criminal Law Division, Office of the Judge Advocate General, OJAG Code 20
From: _____

Subj: First Amendment Request for Release of Records in the Case of United States v.

Ref: (a) U.S. Const. amend I

1. In accordance with reference (a), information is requested for public release for the following case:

- a. Accused's Name (Last, First, MI): _____
- b. Accused's Rank/Rate: _____
- c. Accused's Service (USN, USMC): _____
- d. Judicial Circuit or NMCCA, if known: _____

2. Requested Court Documents. This request for public release seeks the following information in compliance with reference (a):

- a. List specific court documents requested;
- b. Describe stage in proceedings (i.e., arraignment, motions hearing, trial)

3. I understand these documents will be released via _____ and are subject to limited redaction in accordance with reference (a).

4. I can be contacted at _____ and _____.