

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515–3302

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U.S. Department of Justice
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Dear Director Marshall:

Under federal law, the Department of Justice must release all documents relating to convicted child sex trafficker Ghislaine Maxwell, including any related to her transfer to a minimum-security prison camp where she has been granted numerous unusual special privileges. By failing to turn over these documents, the Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) is clearly in violation of the *Epstein Files Transparency Act* (EFTA).

According to the express statutory language in the EFTA, the Department of Justice, of which the BOP is a constituent agency, should have, by December 19, 2025, made publicly available:

“ all unclassified records, documents, communications, and investigative materials in the possession of the Department of Justice [...] that relate to:
[...]
(2) Ghislaine Maxwell.”

Given this clear legal command, and in accordance with the requirements of the EFTA, we write now to demand the immediate production of all records, communications, and internal determinations in the Federal Bureau of Prisons’ (BOP) possession related to the August 2025 transfer of Ghislaine Maxwell (Inmate No. 02879-509) from Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) Tallahassee in Florida to Federal Prison Camp (FPC) Bryan, a minimum-security federal prison camp in Bryan, Texas.¹

There is no exception in the EFTA for documents related to the incarceration of Ms. Maxwell.² And yet, in the 3.5 million documents produced so far, there does not appear to be a single record documenting her transfer or who authorized it. These documents exist: in fact, per BOP policy, Ms. Maxwell, as a sex offender, should never have been eligible for transfer to a minimum-

¹ https://www.bop.gov/policy/progstat/5100_008cn.pdf. Chapter 5, Page 13.

² Statute at Large 139 Stat. 656 - Public Law No. 119-38 (11/19/2025), EPSTEIN FILES TRANSPARENCY ACT, <https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-bill/4405/text>

security facility in the first place. To arrange such a transfer, BOP must have processed detailed paperwork justifying the extraordinary move out of her original prison facility to the camp.³ Ghislaine Maxwell was convicted of some of the most serious conduct penalized under our laws. As the trial judge stated at her sentencing, Ms. Maxwell “directly and repeatedly and over the course of many years participated in a horrific scheme to entice, transport, and traffic underage girls, some as young as 14, for sexual abuse by and with Jeffrey Epstein.”⁴

The transfer and preferential treatment of such a high-profile inmate convicted of such serious federal sexual offenses has generated profound consternation, both among members of Congress and in the general public, that the Administration is handing out preferential treatment in exchange for silence or false testimony. Given the gravity of Ms. Maxwell’s crimes, her connections to Jeffrey Epstein, the unusual nature of her transfer, and public interest in her case, BOP must be fully transparent and forthcoming as to why she was transferred and who authorized her transfer.

The goal of the EFTA was not only to reveal the scope of Mr. Epstein’s and Ms. Maxwell’s crimes, but to bring transparency to government decisions regarding their investigation and prosecution. These records relating to Ms. Maxwell’s transfer must be released for DOJ and BOP to be in compliance with the law.

Accordingly, please produce the following no later than 14 days from receipt of this letter:

1. All internal memoranda, classification reviews, risk assessments, and custody-level determinations concerning Ms. Maxwell’s transfer.
2. All communications between or amongst BOP officials, Department of Justice personnel, or any external party concerning the transfer decision.
3. Documentation reflecting the criteria applied in determining or reevaluating Ms. Maxwell’s eligibility for placement in a minimum-security prison camp, including her public safety factor (PSF) waiver.
4. Any determination by BOP’s Designation and Sentence Computation Center (DSCC) regarding Ms. Maxwell’s transfer.
5. Records sufficient to show the official(s) who recommended, approved, or authorized the transfer.
6. Any Inspector General notifications, consultations, or related reviews concerning this transfer.

³ U.S. Bureau of Prisons, Program Statement 5100.08, Inmate Security Designation and Custody Classification, at Ch.2, p. 4, Ch.5, p. 2 (Sept. 12, 2006); U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Prisons, Inmate Security Designation and Custody Classification, (Sept. 4, 2019), https://www.bop.gov/policy/progstat/5100_008cn.pdf.

⁴ U.S. Department of Justice, U.S. v. Maxwell, S2 20 Cr. 330 (AJN), (July 13, 2020), The Government’s Sentencing Memorandum, <https://www.courthousenews.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/maxwell-government-sentencingmemo.pdf>.

7. Any records from BOP's SENTRY Inmate Management System related to Ms. Maxwell's transfer, including, but not limited to her:
 - a. PP37 History.
 - b. PPG0 History.
 - c. PP44 History.
 - d. PPG6 History.
 - e. PP10 History.
 - f. PP78 History.
 - g. PSCD History
 - h. BP-409 forms utilized during her transfer.
8. Ms. Maxwell's Transfer Orders from FCI Tallahassee.
9. Any records related to Ms. Maxwell's escort from FCI Tallahassee to FPC Bryan, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Her PP64 History.
 - b. Escort Authorization forms from FCI Tallahassee to FPC Bryan.
 - c. Inmate conditions of escort.
10. Ms. Maxwell's Presentencing Report (PSR).
11. Any additional documentation related to BOP's custody of Ms. Maxwell in BOP's possession.

The victims of Jeffrey Epstein, Ghislaine Maxwell, and their associates deserve full transparency in this matter. The American people are entitled to know why Ghislaine Maxwell was transferred to a minimum-security facility, in apparently direct violation of existing BOP policy. Furthermore, disclosure of these documents is mandated by federal law.

We expect your prompt attention to this matter.

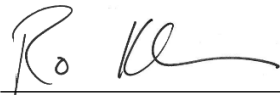
Sincerely,



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