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Cheryl

Prelim report on Secretary's question about paying reward to Govt. of Uganda for capturing a Rwandan genocidaire

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22USC2708 provides:

**(f) Ineligibility**

An officer or employee of any entity of Federal, State, or local government or of a foreign government who, while in the performance of his or her official duties, furnishes information described in subsection (b) of this section shall not be eligible for a reward under this section.

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More to follow

Regards

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Still looking, [Redacted]

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Jim,

The statute (22 USC 2708) provides for payments to "any individual" and further provides that no payment may be made to an officer or employee of any federal, state, local or foreign government "who, while in the performance of his or her official duties, furnishes information. . . ."

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I have calls into Kitty and Cliff to see if they are aware of alternative possibilities.

Steve

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