

From: Alexander Avakov

To: A Lawyer

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RETURN RECEIPT LETTER

Also, for whatever reason, the postal mail does not seem to be exactly punctual. Since February 19, 2017, I have sent 2489 letters to lawyers with a request for a human rights lawyer, including 1574 with return receipts. Most of the letters reach their destinations, and many lawyers respond with their commentaries. But some of my letters are returning with notes “insufficient address” or “not deliverable as addressed”. Fair enough, but for the recent three months, April through June 2022, of all the returned 16 had been totally opened. After that opening of postal mails have stopped. Incidentally, 3-month period coincides with 90-day period of certain FISA Court orders. But I am still concerned about the spectrum of potential disruptions – either by the government initiative or by the nosiness or ineptitude of postal workers. **Therefore, if you received this letter with the request for a human rights lawyer, please date and sign the current one-page “return receipt letter” and send back to me in the enclosed self-addressed envelope.**

Sincerely,

Alexander Avakov

Date the receipt is signed

Signature to acknowledge the receipt of the request for a human rights lawyer