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April 30, 2020

VIA EMAIL

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Re: FOIA Request # 2020-164

Dear Ms. Best:

This letter is in response to your Illinois Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") request received on April 23, 2020 seeking:

Memos, emails, letters, documents, reports, recorded phone calls and virtual meetings and other media discussing or describing COVID-19 response, shutdown and stay-at-home plans and orders, quarantines, and "re-opening" plans, as well as copies of discussions of COVID-19 with CDC, White House, FEMA or similar emergency management agencies, offices of Surgeons General and similar bodies, and management of medical facilities or organizations. This request excludes unsolicited messages from the public which received no response.

The Governor's Office believes that fulfilling your request would be unduly burdensome to the operations of the public body. 5 ILCS 140/3(g); *Shehadeh v. Madigan*, 996 N.E.2d 1243, 1249 (Ill. App. 2013). In order to adequately address the competing demands on the Office's limited resources, the Governor's Office is extending you an opportunity to narrow this portion of your request to more manageable proportions. The Governor's Office is willing to work with you to narrow this portion of your request.

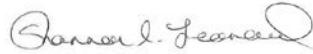
To the extent you consider this response to be a denial of your FOIA request, you have the right to submit a request for review by the Public Access Counselor ("PAC") of the Office of the Illinois Attorney General to:

Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62701
Fax: 217-782-1396
E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

If you choose to submit a request for review, you must do so within 60 days after the date of this response letter. The request for review must be in writing, signed by you, and include a copy of your FOIA request and this office's response. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). In addition, you have the right to seek judicial review of this response. 5 ILCS 140/11(a), (b).

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me.

Sincerely,



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