

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

FRANK J. LAWRENCE,  
Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION,  
Defendant.

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**Exhibit 1 to Complaint  
(SBA's Response Letter)**



U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20416

OFFICE OF CAPITAL ACCESS

June 8, 2020

Frank Lawrence  
[flawrence1@hotmail.com](mailto:flawrence1@hotmail.com)

Re: SBA-2020-000964 Request Response

Dear Mr. Lawrence,

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") request No. SBA-2020-000964 in which you have requested the following:

"Three business entities operate at [REDACTED] Sterling Heights, Michigan, 48304 and they are all owned by [REDACTED] (SS# [REDACTED]), [REDACTED] (SS# [REDACTED]), and [REDACTED] (SS# [REDACTED]). The names of these businesses are: [REDACTED] c. (38-[REDACTED]), [REDACTED] (38-[REDACTED]), and [REDACTED] (38-[REDACTED]).

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I respectfully request information about any approved PPP loans or grants that any of these three entities or individuals applied for and/or received, including the amount of the loans, their purpose in general terms and the maturity."

The Small Business Administration ("Agency") is providing statistical information on the Paycheck Protection Program ("PPP") loans and Economic Injury Disaster Loans ("EIDL") in an effort to keep the public informed of the assistance and actions both it and the thousands of lenders across the country are taking at this difficult time.

The statistical information can be found at: <https://www.sba.gov/about-sba/open-government/foia#section-header-32>. Please select "COVID-19 Information" located under Frequently requested records to obtain the data that is currently available.

If you are dissatisfied with the Agency's decision, you may file an administrative appeal within 90 days of the date of this letter to:

Office of Hearings and Appeals  
Attention: Ore Fashola, FOIA Officer  
409 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, SW – 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Washington, DC 20416

Mr. Lawrence

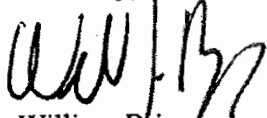
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If you are unable to resolve your FOIA dispute through our FOIA Public Liaison in the Office of Hearings and Appeals, the Office of Government Information Services ("OGIS"), the Federal FOIA Ombudsman's office, offers mediation services to help resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies.

The contact information for OGIS is:

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Sincerely,



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Office of Capital Access  
Small Business Administration