

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by
Ed Plaut,

Report of Hearing Officer

Complainant,

Docket #FIC81-79

against

September // , 1981

Town of Danbury and Danbury
Municipal Airport Commission
of the Town of Danbury

Respondents,


The above captioned matter was heard as a contested case on September 8, 1981, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared, presented testimony and argument on the complaint.

After consideration of the entire record, the following facts are found:

1. By letter dated April 3, 1981 addressed to the Attorney General, the complainant alleged that the respondent commission acted in violation of law at its April 2, 1981 meeting.
2. By letter dated May 4, 1981, the Attorney General replied to the complainant, stating that his office has no jurisdiction over the matters contained in the complainant's letter of April 3, 1981; and suggesting that the complainant contact this Commission with respect to the allegations contained in his earlier letter.
3. By letter filed with the Commission on May 12, 1981, the complainant asked that the Commission investigate the allegations contained in his letter of April 3, 1981.
4. It is found that the letter of complaint to the Commission was filed beyond 30 days of the date of the alleged violation occurring at the respondent's meeting of April 2, 1981.
5. It is therefore concluded that under § 1-21i(b), G.S., the Commission lacks jurisdiction over this complaint.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above captioned complaint:


1. The complaint is hereby dismissed.
2. Nothing herein shall be construed as commenting upon the merits of the complainant's allegations as set forth in his letter of April 3, 1981.



Commissioner Curtis Cofield
as Hearing Officer

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Approved by order of the Freedom of Information Commission
at its regular meeting of October 28, 1981.



Mary Jo Jolicœur
Clerk of the Commission