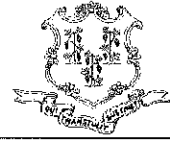


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David Osuch,
Complainant(s)
against

Notice of Meeting

Docket #FIC 2014-597

Legal Counsel, State of Connecticut, Office of the Chief
Public Defender; and State of Connecticut, Office of the
Chief Public Defender,
Respondent(s)

June 16, 2015

Transmittal of Proposed Final Decision

In accordance with Section 4-179 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Freedom of Information Commission hereby transmits to you the proposed finding and decision prepared by the hearing officer in the above-captioned matter.

This will notify you that the Commission will consider this matter for disposition at its meeting which will be held in the Freedom of Information Commission Hearing Room, 18-20 Trinity Street, 1st floor, Hartford, Connecticut, at **2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 8, 2015**. At that time and place you will be allowed to offer oral argument concerning this proposed finding and order. Oral argument shall be limited to ten (10) minutes. For good cause shown, however, the Commission may increase the period of time for argument. A request for additional time must be made in writing and should be filed with the Commission **ON OR BEFORE June 26, 2015**. Such request **MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, and (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives.**

Although a brief or memorandum of law is not required, if you decide to submit such a document, an **original and fourteen (14) copies** must be filed **ON OR BEFORE June 26, 2015**. **PLEASE NOTE: Any correspondence, brief or memorandum directed to the Commissioners by any party or representative of any party MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives and (3) be limited to argument. NO NEW EVIDENCE MAY BE SUBMITTED.**

If you have already filed a brief or memorandum with the hearing officer and wish to have that document distributed to each member of the Commission, it is requested that **fifteen (15) copies** be filed **ON OR BEFORE June 26, 2015**, and that **notice be given to all parties or if the parties are represented, to their representatives, that such previously filed document is being submitted to the Commissioners for review.**

By Order of the Freedom of
Information Commission

W. Paradis
Acting Clerk of the Commission

Notice to: David Osuch
Deborah Del Prete Sullivan, Esq.

2015-06-16/FIC# 2014-597/Trans/wrbp/CAL/VDH

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

Report of Hearing Officer

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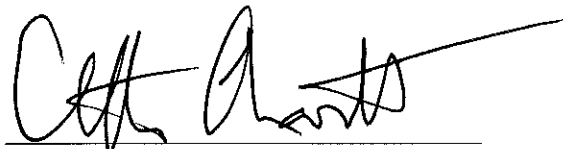
June 9, 2015

The above-captioned matter was heard as contested case on June 9, 2015, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared. The complainant, who is incarcerated, appeared via teleconference, pursuant to the January 2004 memorandum of understanding between the Commission and the Department of Correction. See Docket No. CV 03-0826293, Anthony Sinchak v. FOIC et al, Superior Court, J.D. of Hartford at Hartford, Corrected Order dated January 27, 2004 (Sheldon, J.).

At the hearing, the complainant stated that he wished to receive the files of the attorneys who had represented him in a habeas corpus proceeding and in the underlying criminal matter. Counsel for the respondents stated that the Commission did not have jurisdiction concerning the respondents' adjudicative records. The hearing officer explained the relevant law to the complainant, who then stated that he understood the explanation and wished to withdraw his complaint. Following the withdrawal, the respondents indicated that three boxes of records had been delivered to the complainant and they also scheduled a telephone conference with the complainant following the hearing to review additional voluntary disclosures.

The Commission recommends the following order on the basis of the record:

1. Based on the withdrawal of the complaint, the case is hereby dismissed.



Clifton A. Leonhardt
as Hearing Officer