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Public records request – press release
2 messages
S Stickle <sam@********* Fri, Feb 18, 2011 at 4:31 PM
To: tstreby@*********
Terry Streby,
This is a public records request for a copy of the press release sent
to "the local media and the Columbus Dispatch" following the
completion of the state administration hearing in January 2011.
If the document is not available via e-mail attachment, what hours
could I stop by the district office to pick it up?
If no such document exists, please reply and let me know.
Sincerely,
Sam Stickle
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----- Forwarded message ------
From: S Stickle <sam@*********
Date: Fri, Feb 18, 2011 at 4:26 PM
Subject: Re: Media inquiry – public statement stipulated in settlement
To: "_Bennett, Margie" <mbennett@**********
Dr. Margie Bennett,
Thanks for replying. I understand that e-mails sometimes get lost.
I hadn't seen the particular press release you mentioned—I'll request
a copy of it. (I had been quoting from a copy of the settlement.)
Thanks again,
Sam Stickle
On Fri, Feb 18, 2011 at 10:08 AM, _Bennett, Margie <mbennett@*********** wrote:
> Dear Mr. Stickle,
> This is the first email that I have received. I did not receive the 2/14/11 email. Maybe it went to spam mail. I am not
sure. I checked back through earlier emails on this account, and it was not there.
> I understand Mr. Short sent the Press Release to the local media and the Columbus Dispatch. You have a copy of the
statement since you quoted it, so I am not sure what you are requesting.
> If you wish to make a public record request, you need to do so through Mr. Short. He is the district's authorized per-
son to receive such requests.
> Thank you,
> Margie
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> From: S Stickle [sam@***********]
> Sent: Thursday, February 17, 2011 4:13 PM
> To: _Bennett, Margie
> Subject: Fwd: Media inquiry – public statement stipulated in settlement
> Dr. Margie Bennett,
> This is a follow-up to my e-mail of February 14 regarding the public
> statement that is stipulated in the August 26, 2009 partial settlement
> with the "Doe" family.
> Perhaps you haven't had a chance to respond or the e-mail was
> overlooked. Please respond as soon as you can. Thanks.
> Sincerely,
> Sam Stickle
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> ----- Forwarded message -----
> From: S Stickle < sam@***********
> Date: Mon, Feb 14, 2011 at 8:34 AM
> Subject: Media inquiry – public statement stipulated in settlement
> To: mbennett@**********
> Cc: sshort@*********
> Dr. Margie Bennett,
> The partial settlement reached between the Mount Vernon Board of
> Education and the "Doe" family stipulated that following the
> completion of the state administrative hearing, concerning the
> employment of John Freshwater, the board would "make a public
> statement" using wording included in the settlement.
> The statement is on page five of the August 26, 2009 partial settlement:
> "Throughout this process, the Mount Vernon City School District Board
> of Education has been concerned about elements in this community who
> decided to attack the student and family who reported concerns about
> John Freshwater. It is critical for our students to be able to come
> forward with concerns or issues so they can be addressed. The Board
> applauds [name redacted on document] for the courage he had in coming
> forward."
> As far as I am aware, the board has not yet issued the statement. Will
> the board still be making the statement?
> Sincerely,
> Sam Stickle
> www.accountabilityinthemedia.com
S Stickle <sam@********** Wed, Feb 23, 2011 at 4:38 PM
To: tstreby@*********
Terry Streby,
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Perhaps you haven't had a chance to respond or the e-mail was overlooked. Please respond as soon as you can. Thanks.
Sincerely,
Sam Stickle
www.accountabilityinthemedia.com
Forwarded message From: S Stickle <sam@********> [Quoted text hidden]</sam@********>

This is a follow-up to the public records request I sent to you via e-mail on February 18.