May 6, 2010

Matt Vanover
Illinois State Board of Education

Sent via email

Dear Mr. Vanover:

In accordance with the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140), the Tribune is asking your office to provide access to – or copies of – the following records:


● Legislative scholarships awarded by Robert Molaro, in both his capacity as a state representative and a state senator, between 1998 and 2003.

If you claim any portion of the above public records to be exempt from disclosure under 5 ILCS 140, in writing please (i) identify which portion or portions you claim are exempt and the statutory provision or provisions you contend apply; (ii) set forth the reasons for your conclusion that such portion or portions are exempt; and (iii) release the remainder of such records for inspection and copying, redacting only the portion or portions you claim are exempt.

The Tribune also requests a waiver of any fees associated with filling this request. Please respond within the seven days allotted under the law.

Sincerely,

Stacy St. Clair
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