May 10, 2012

VIA FACSIMILE AND REGULAR MAIL.

Freedom of Information Office
c/o Mr. Matt Vanover
Illinois State Board of Education
100 North First Street
Springfield, Illinois 62777-0001

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Mr. Vanover:

Please consider this correspondence a formal request for documents pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/1.2, all records in the custody or possession of a public body are presumed to be open to inspection or copying. If any part of this request is denied, please reference the specific document denied and the legal basis upon which disclosure is being denied.

For each request below please provide any and all information available including, but not limited to, written and electronic statistical information for the last three years1. Pursuant to FOIA, please provide the following:

1. A list of any and all "private [or non-public school] for-profit providers" as per the definition provided in the Illinois Purchased Care Review Board ("IPCRB") regulations, at 89 Illinois Administrative Code 900.310(d)(3). For each non-public school and/or private for-profit provider identified in this request please specify the following:

   a. The student enrollment of each non-public school and/or private for-profit provider;

   b. The "occupancy costs", "administrative costs" and "support costs", pursuant to the definitions found at 89 Ill. Admin. Code 900.310(f)-(h), identified by each provider in their attested cost reports submitted to the IPCRB pursuant to 89 Ill. Admin. Code 900.320; and

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1 The last three years to date refers to the last three fiscal years, specifically fiscal years 2008-2009, 2009-2010, 2010-2011 as well as the current fiscal year to date.
2. The IPCRB’s calculated median costs for each of the indicated fiscal years pursuant to 89 Ill. Admin. Code 900.330(b).

The principal purpose for these information requests is to access information regarding the health, safety, welfare and legal rights of the general public. Those requests for information are not for the principal purpose of personal or commercial benefit. Accordingly, pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/6(c), we request a waiver of all copying fees. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/3(d), please promptly respond to these requests for public records within five (5) business days. We look forward to your timely compliance since this correspondence is being received by you today by facsimile.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

[Name]

Shermin S. Ali-Andani