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Feb. 23, 2017

[emailed to cmgutowski@chicagotribune.com]

Christy Gutowski

Dear Ms. Gutowski:

This letter is in response to your request for information under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. Your request was received on Feb. 15, 2017.

You have requested 1. Communication of any kind, including but not limited to written or electronic records, received by or sent to Oak Park River Forest School District 200 and/or Oak Park River Forest High School from August 27, 2016 to present. To narrow our request, we are seeking information specifically related to a complaint of alleged student misconduct that occurred off-campus inside the home of a district employee. -If not included in the above, any license information on a District 200 wrestling coach named Michael J. Powell, ID 1076114, including of a disciplinary nature, from Jan. 1, 2013 to present.

Our agency has no documents to provide in response to your request. Licensure information can be viewed via the ELIS public portal at the following link: https://www.isbe.net/Pages/Educator-Licensure-Information-System.aspx.

If you have questions, please contact Megan Griffin at (217) 782-4648 or mgriffin@isbe.net. Sincerely,

Colette McCarty Assistant General Counsel