

## **Illinois State Board of Education**

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James T. Meeks Chairman **Tony Smith, Ph.D.**State Superintendent of Education

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[emailed to

Bob Herguth Chicago Sun-Times

Dear Mr. Herguth:

This letter is in response to your request for information under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. Your request was received on Oct. 31, 2016.

You have requested *copies of any and all agreements with the Burke, Burns and Pinelli law firm from Jan.* 1, 2012, to present, and any and all itemized billing invoices during the same period, and documents sufficient to show any and all payments, by year, during the same time, and the reasons for those payments.

Our agency has no documents to provide in response to your request.

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

Sincerely,

Kimberly Stevens Deputy General Counsel- Program Support