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[emailed to rebecca@publiccharters.org]

Rebecca David National Alliance for Public Charter Schools

Dear Ms. David:

This letter is in response to your request for information under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. Your request was received on Oct. 26, 2016.

You have requested the following:

- 1. A list of charter schools that opened between the spring of 2016 and the fall of 2016.
- 2. A list of charter schools that closed between the fall of 2015 and the fall of 2016.
- 3. State school and district identification codes for new charter schools.
- 4. Name of charter school's authorizer.
- 5. Name of the charter school's LEA (traditional school district or charter school LEA).
- 6. Information on whether the new charter schools are start-ups or conversion schools.
- 7. Contact information for new charter schools (address, phone number, fax number, website address, school leader name, school leader email address).
- 8. An updated charter school directory for the 2016-17 school year.

The attached document (17-139-david-doc.pdf) has been provided 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

Attachment