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

Jan. 18, 2017

[emailed to emcoleman@tronc.com]

Emily Coleman Lake County News Sun

Dear Ms. Coleman:

This letter is in response to your request for information under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. Your request was received on Jan. 3, 2017.

On Jan. 10, our agency requested an extension until Jan. 18, 2017.

You have requested A copy of the 2012-13 through 16-17 homeless students summary report through the Student Information System with the school, home school, serving service, service provider, home but not serving, serving but not home and primary nighttime code filters selected for all school districts with the region/county code of "34049" (Lake County).

The attached document (17-184-coleman-doc.xls) has been provided in response to your request. Please note we have redacted student group sizes of less than 10 pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/7 (1) (a) pursuant to FERPA. Even in the absence of student names, small group sizes could reveal student identities.

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

Sincerely,

Colette McCarty Assistant General Counsel

Attachment