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

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[emailed to

Beth Hatt ISU

Dear Dr. Hatt:

This letter is in response to your request for information under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. Your request was received on Jan. 31, 2017.

You have requested suspension and expulsion data disaggregated by race and gender for Bloomington District 87 and McLean County Unit 5 in ROE 17 for the 2015-2016 school year; Additionally, please include the categorical reasons for the suspensions and expulsions.

The data you seek can be viewed at the following link: <a href="https://www.isbe.net/Documents/2016-eoystudent-discipline.pdf">https://www.isbe.net/Documents/2016-eoystudent-discipline.pdf</a>

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

Sincerely,

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