## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In The Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Robert Salatto,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2016-0453

Dean Esserman, Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven; Police Department, City of New Haven; and City of New Haven,

Respondents

May 10, 2017

The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on November 23, 2016, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared, stipulated to certain facts and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint. The complainant, who is incarcerated, appeared via teleconference, pursuant to the January 2004 memorandum of understanding between the Commission and the Department of Correction. See Docket No. CV 03-0826293, Anthony Sinchak v. FOIC et al, Superior Court, J.D. of Hartford at Hartford, Corrected Order dated January 27, 2004 (Sheldon, J.).

By letter dated December 15, 2016, the complainant indicated that he wished to withdraw his complaint. The Commission takes administrative notice of such letter.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint:

1. Based on the complainant's letter of withdrawal, the complaint is hereby dismissed.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of

May 10, 2017.

Cynthia A. Cannata

Acting Clerk of the Commission

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-180(c), G.S., THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES OF EACH PARTY AND THE MOST RECENT MAILING ADDRESS, PROVIDED TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION, OF THE PARTIES OR THEIR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.

## THE PARTIES TO THIS CONTESTED CASE ARE:

Robert Salatto #180287 MacDougall Walker Correctional Institution 1153 East Street South Suffield, CT 06080

Dean Esserman, Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven; Police Department, City of New Haven; and City of New Haven c/o Kathleen Foster, Esq. City of New Haven 165 Church Street New Haven, CT 06510

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