FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Luis Diaz,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2016-0151

Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and Police Department, City of Bridgeport,

Respondents

November 16, 2016

The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on August 5, 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.).

After some evidence was heard, the matter was scheduled to be continued on November 3, 2016. On September 29, 2016, the complainant, through his attorney, withdrew his appeal against all respondents by e-mail sent to the Clerk of the Freedom of Information ("FOI") Commission. The Freedom of Information Commission takes administrative notice of such withdrawal.

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

- 1. Based on the withdrawal of the complaint, the complaint is dismissed.
- 2. The Commission commends Tyisha S. Toms, attorney for the respondents, for her diligent and successful efforts in locating the records requested by the complainant.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of November 16, 2016.

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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:

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