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By Mail

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RE: Public Records Request

Dear Attorney Rótolo:

Enclosed please find materials responsive to your Public Records Law request dated June 9, 2010 (the "Request"). We offer the following comments and/or recommendations for clarification regarding each item within your Request.

1. Any grant proposals made by EOPSS or the City of Boston to FEMA's Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) and any responses from HSGP.

Response: Materials responsive to this request are enclosed herein.

2. Any and all descriptions of equipment purchased or received through the UASI program, especially video surveillance or CCTV technology used in the Metro Boston UASI area.

Response: The Mayor's Office of Emergency Management ("MOEM") purchases a variety of equipment relating to UASI but unrelated to video surveillance / CCTV. Accordingly, materials responsive to this request could include service contracts with numerous vendors and would likely consist of thousands of pages. Please advise if you would like to limit this request to video surveillance / CCTV and we will forward these materials to you.

3. Any policies or procedures and agreements or memorandum of understanding related to the sharing of information gathered through UASI-funded programs, especially video surveillance.

Response: MOEM does not have any materials responsive to this request.

4. Documents and reports showing how UASI funds were spent in the Metro Boston region during the years FY 2007, 2008 and 2009.

Response: As indicated previously, MOEM purchases a variety of equipment and other items relating to UASI. Accordingly, materials responsive to this request would be voluminous. Please advise if you would like to limit this request to video surveillance / CCTV and we will forward these materials to you.

5. The current Metro Boston Homeland Security Regional Plan.

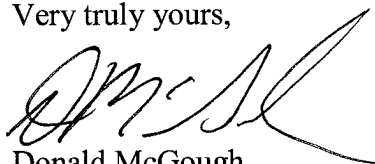
Response: Materials responsive to this request are enclosed herein.

6. The Metro Boston Homeland Security Region (MBHSR) Directory showing members.

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Please feel free to contact me to discuss your Request and MOEM's recommendations for clarifications.

Very truly yours,



Donald McGough
Director