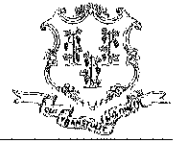




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Timothy Townsend,
Complainant(s)
against

Notice of Meeting

Docket #FIC 2015-708

Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven; Police
Department, City of New Haven; City of New Haven;
Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of
Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of
Correction,

Respondent(s)

June 2, 2016

Transmittal of Proposed Final Decision

In accordance with Section 4-179 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Freedom of Information Commission hereby transmits to you the proposed finding and decision prepared by the hearing officer in the above-captioned matter.

This will notify you that the Commission will consider this matter for disposition at its meeting which will be held in the Freedom of Information Commission Hearing Room, 18-20 Trinity Street, 1st floor, Hartford, Connecticut, at **2 p.m. on Wednesday, June 22, 2016**. At that time and place you will be allowed to offer oral argument concerning this proposed finding and order. Oral argument shall be limited to ten (10) minutes. For good cause shown, however, the Commission may increase the period of time for argument. A request for additional time must be made in writing and should be filed with the Commission **ON OR BEFORE June 10, 2016**. Such request **MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, and (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives.**

Although a brief or memorandum of law is not required, if you decide to submit such a document, an **original and fourteen (14) copies** must be filed **ON OR BEFORE June 10, 2016**. **PLEASE NOTE: Any correspondence, brief or memorandum directed to the Commissioners by any party or representative of any party MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives and (3) be limited to argument. NO NEW EVIDENCE MAY BE SUBMITTED.**

If you have already filed a brief or memorandum with the hearing officer and wish to have that document distributed to each member of the Commission, it is requested that **fifteen (15) copies** be filed **ON OR BEFORE June 10, 2016**, and that **notice be given to all parties or if the parties are represented, to their representatives, that such previously filed document is being submitted to the Commissioners for review.**

By Order of the Freedom of
Information Commission

W. Paradis
Acting Clerk of the Commission

Notice to: Timothy Townsend
Attorney Kathleen Foster
Attorney James Neil
cc: Craig Washington

2016-06-02/FIC# 2015-708/Trans/wrbp/PSP//VDH

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

Report of Hearing Officer

Timothy Townsend,

Complainant

Docket # FIC 2015-708

against

Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven;
Police Department, City of New Haven; City of
New Haven; Commissioner, State of
Connecticut, Department of Correction; and
State of Connecticut, Department of Correction,

Respondents

June 1, 2016

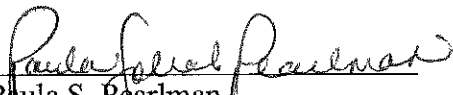
The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on January 21, 2016, at which time the complainant and respondents Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven, and Police Department, City of New Haven, appeared and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint. The complainant, 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.). The hearing was continued until May 12, 2016.

Prior to the continued hearing, the respondents Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction, and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction, were made parties to, and received notice of, the instant matter. The case caption was amended to include such respondents.

By letter received and filed with the Commission on May 6, 2016, the complainant withdrew his complaint in this matter. The Commission takes administrative notice of such withdrawal.

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

1. The complaint is hereby dismissed.


Paula S. Pearlman
as Hearing Officer

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