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April 28, 2014

Mr. Darold Barnum



Re: FOIA Request 14-234

Dear Mr. Barnum:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request dated April 11, 2014, and received in my office on April 14, 2014, in which you requested:

“Please send me up to ten contracts entered into by the University of Illinois that require disputes concerning the contract to be settled by binding arbitration.

For example, I think that contracts concerning warranties on autos purchased by the University might have such clauses. I would prefer contracts involving larger sums. But I would be happy to receive the first ten contracts containing arbitration clauses that you find – any ten would do, or fewer than 10 if they are too hard to find.”

Information responsive to your request is available and attached. These are public documents numbering 154 pages.

Should you wish to inspect or receive a physical copy of these documents, please call Melanie Kuehn at the phone number below and she will provide you with all necessary details.

You have a right, under the law, to seek a review of this response by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) in the Office of the Attorney General. The PAC may be reached by phone at 217-782-1396, by email to publicaccess@atg.state.il.us, or by postal mail at the Public Access Bureau, 500 S. 2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62706. You also have the right to seek judicial review under section 11 of this Act.

If you have questions for our office, please contact 217-333-6400.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Hardy
Executive Director
and Chief Records Officer

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