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March 10, 2015

Mr. Jeremy Beckham
Beagle Freedom Project
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Re: FOIA Request 15-168

Dear Mr. Beckham:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request dated and received in my office on March 3, 2015, in which you requested:

“...access to and a copy of the following records:

- A census of all dogs and cats currently held at any University of Illinois research facility; including identification number(s) for each animal, species, name (if applicable), date of birth, breed, and protocol number for an IACUC-approved protocol(s) for which the animal is currently assigned (if applicable).
- A list of all active IACUC-approved protocols involving the use of dogs and/or cats including the protocol title and number, approval and expiration dates, and the approved number of dogs and/or cats assigned to the protocol.”

Information responsive to your request is available and attached. These are public documents numbering 5 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