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VIA Email
Ben Goehring

Re: Request Received July 6, 2022

Dear Mr. Goehring:

On July 6, 2022, the Division of Personnel and Labor Relations (DOPLR) received your request for “[q]uarterly electronic listings of all employees of the Alaska Executive Branch from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2018.” You seek, for each quarter, “a PDF document with the following fields for each employee: full name, department or agency, location, position title, position status (e.g., fulltime or part-time), position control number, bargaining unit status, last hire date, and compensation”; or “only the available variables.” Also, you seek, “[i]f these data are not available at quarterly intervals, . . . the datasets at the most frequent interval possible.”

The enclosed reports contain at least some of the information you seek. DOPLR has no other reports that contain at least some of the requested information for all executive branch employees.

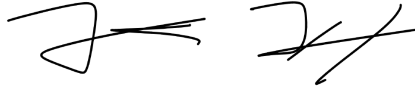
For the reasons I explained in my July 5, 2022, letter, generating the requested quarterly reports would constitute providing electronic services or products under AS 40.25.115. Although your July 6 request is narrower than your June 21 request, generating the reports would still take a significant amount of time; and, again, undertaking this work for you would obligate DOPLR to undertake such work for other requesters. *See* AS 40.25.115(h). Accordingly, DOPLR denies your request to the extent it seeks electronic services and products because providing them (like those sought in your June 21 request) would result in the diversion of too many DOPLR resources. But, again, DOPLR would generate a report containing the requested information for one quarter.

Under the Alaska Public Records Act regulations, this response constitutes a denial to the extent DOPLR does not have the requested records. *See* 2 AAC 96.335(a). You may administratively appeal by complying with 2 AAC 96.340. An administrative appeal requires no appeal bond. Also, you may seek immediate judicial review by pursuing an injunction under AS 40.25.125. Not pursuing an injunction will not adversely affect your rights before DOPLR, including in administratively appealing this denial. I have been delegated the authority to deny Alaska Public Records Act requests. Enclosed are 2 AAC 96.335 – 2 AAC 96.350.

To the extent you seek electronic services and products and DOPLR denies your request, this response is DOPLR's final decision. Under Alaska Rules of Appellate Procedure 601 and 602, an appeal (if any) to the superior court must be taken within thirty days of the date of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 907-465-8429 or franklin.hurt@alaska.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'F. Hurt', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Franklin Hurt
Employee Planning and Information Center Manager