## WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

## Joint Committee on Government and Finance

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January 15, 2022

Forrest Behne
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Re:

Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Mr. Behne.

This is a response to your request, received by the Legislative Manager of the West Virginia Legislature on January 10, 2022, made pursuant to the West Virginia Freedom of Information Act. In your request, you asked for several records relating to the budget, contracts, and medical provider information for medical services rendered for inmates of the West Virginia Division of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

The West Virginia Legislature is not the custodian of public records regarding medical providers and contracts for inmate medical services for the Division of Corrections and Rehabilitation. To obtain those records, you would have to submit your request directly to that division.

Of the records that you have described, the only record that is in the custody of the Legislature is the enacted Budget Bill for the 2020-2021 state fiscal year. I have enclosed a copy of this document pursuant to your request.

This completes my response to your request under the provisions of the West Virginia Freedom of Information Act. If you believe that you have been improperly denied records that you have requested, you may seek injunctive or declaratory relief in the Circuit Court of Kanawha County.

Sincerely,

**Aaron Allred**