



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Office of the General Treasurer

Seth Magaziner
General Treasurer

May 11, 2015

VIA EMAIL ONLY

1001 Liberty Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

RE: Public Records Request

Dear Ms. :

We write in response to your May 1, 2015 request for information pursuant to the Rhode Island Access to Public Records Act (APRA). Your specific request is noted below:

(1) the original Request for Proposal (RFP) issued by the Rhode Island Higher Education Authority in 2000 for Comprehensive Management Services of the CollegeBoundfund and all related attachments. As the mandate was awarded to Alliance Capital Management L.P., I also kindly request a copy of the contract/agreement entered into between the Rhode Island Higher Education Authority and Alliance Capital Management L.P. as it relates to the provision of Comprehensive Management Services of the CollegeBoundfund.

Enclosed please find a copy of the Management Agreement between Alliance Bernstein, the Rhode Island Higher Education Authority (RIHEAA) and the Rhode Island State Investment Commission (SIC) responsive to your request. We do not have a copy of the requested RFP which was originated by RIHEAA. You may wish to direct your request to RIHEAA. For your convenience RIHEAA's website address is <http://www.riheaa.org/>.

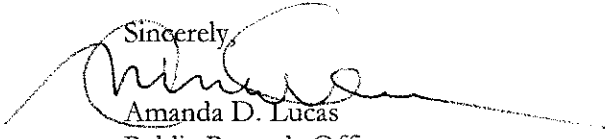
If you contend you have been denied access to public records, pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws §38-2-8, you may appeal this decision to Jeffrey M. Padwa, General Counsel for the Rhode Island General Treasurer's Office, 50 Service Avenue, 2nd Floor, Warwick, RI 02886. You may also file a complaint with the Department of the Attorney General, 150 South Main Street, Providence, RI 02903 or the Rhode Island Superior Court of the county where the records are maintained.

May 11, 2015

Page 2 of 2

Additional information regarding the Access to Public Records Act may be found at <http://www.riag.ri.gov/civil/opengovernment>.

Sincerely,



Amanda D. Lucas
Public Records Officer

Enclosure