

## **Employees' Retirement System** of Rhode Island

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Dear Mr. Gavigan:

We write in response to your December 30, 2014 request for information pursuant to the Rhode Island Access to Public Records Act (APRA). Your specific request is noted below along with our corresponding response.

Please consider this a request under the Access to Public Records Act, RI Gen. Laws 38-2-1 et. Seq. I am respectfully requesting the following:

- Full name of individuals collecting state disability checks (disability pension)
- The yearly disability amount
- Date disability payments began

Enclosed please find documents responsive to your request. 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 Frank J. Karpinski, Executive Director of the Employees' Retirement System of Rhode Island, 50 Service Avenue, 2<sup>nd</sup> 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.

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

Thank you for your interest in keeping government open and accountable to the public.

Sincere

Gayle Mambro-Martin, Esq. Public Records Officer

Enclosure