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## VIA EMAIL ONLY

Little Compton RI 02837

RE: Public Records Request

Dear

We write in response to your May 14, 2015 follow up inquiry of your April 28, 2015 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.

*I trust that my inquiry and the information you have provided all remains confidential. I have another quick question that I hope you can help with – the “Good Faith Effort” letters that were included in the PDF you sent (pages 7, 17, 24 and 29) are not date-stamped. Can you tell me when those letters were received by ERSRI? I’m curious, as they are all dated June 30<sup>th</sup> for each of the years 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014, which seems a little odd. For instance, June 30, 2012 was a Saturday and June 30, 2013 was a Sunday. Also, the letter dated June 30, 2011 includes the name of Principal Joao Arruda, but Mr. Arruda didn’t start as Principal until July of 2012. If you have any thoughts on this or if you can tell me when these letters were received, that would be appreciated.*

Enclosed please find a document responsive to your request. You may wish to contact Little Compton School Department with any questions regarding the content of the letters in question.

If you contend you have been denied access to public records, pursuant to RIGL §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>.

Sincerely,

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Public Records Officer