

Employees' Retirement System of Rhode Island

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Cranston, Rhode Island 02910

RE: Public Records Request

Dear Mr.

We write in response to your December 21, 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.

Under the Access to Public Records Act, please provide me with the actuarial FUTURE value of future benefits for all active and retired state employees and teachers as of the end of fiscal year 2015. This should be the total, undiscounted values that produce the "total actuarial present value of future benefits" numbers shown on pages 14 and 15 of the latest valuation report by Gabriel Roeder Smith. Please provide the numbers separately for state employees and for teachers.

The Employees' Retirement System of Rhode Island (ERSRI) does not maintain the information you seek. Pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws §38-2-3(h) a public body cannot be expected to compile data or create new documents it does not maintain in the ordinary course of business in response to a public records request.

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, 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.

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.

Sincerely,

Gayle C. Mambro-Martin, Esq.

Public Records Officer