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Frank J. Karpinski Executive Director RE: Public Records Request No. 4

We write in response to your December 2, 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.

What Rhode Island State Department or Branch of Rhode Island State Government is responsible to submit/include in their respective budget or submit a budget article to have the outstanding balance on their principle of the American Express Loan from ERSRI?

What fiscal years has the request be submitted?

The purpose of the Access to Public Records Act is to provide the public with access to public documents maintained by governmental agencies. It does not require agencies to respond to questions unless those questions can be answered by providing responsive documents. Therefore, to fully comply with the APRA statute, and based on our understanding of your request, enclosed please find documents responsive to your 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.

Sincerely.

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Public Records Officer