FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Ian Cooke,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2018-0021

Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction,

Respondents

November 7, 2018

The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on May 2, 2018, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint. The complainant, who is incarcerated, appeared via teleconference, pursuant to the January 2004 memorandum of understanding between the Commission and the Department of Correction. See Docket No. CV 03-0826293, Anthony Sinchak v. FOIC et al., Superior Court, J.D. of Hartford at Hartford, Corrected Order dated January 27, 2004 (Sheldon, J.). The matter was then continued at the request of the parties to September 6, 2018, and again to November 5, 2018.

On October 16, 2018, the complainant withdrew his complaint. The Commission takes administrative notice of such withdrawal.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint.

1. The complaint is dismissed.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its special meeting of November 7, 2018.

Cynthia A. Cannata

Acting Clerk of the Commission

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-180(c), G.S., THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES OF EACH PARTY AND THE MOST RECENT MAILING ADDRESS, PROVIDED TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION, OF THE PARTIES OR THEIR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.

THE PARTIES TO THIS CONTESTED CASE ARE:

IAN COOKE, #340812, Garner Correctional Institution, 50 Nunnawauk Road, Newtown, CT 06470

COMMISSIONER, STATE OF CONNECTICUT, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND STATE OF CONNECTICUT, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, c/o Attorney Nicole Anker and Attorney Tracie C. Brown, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction, 24 Wolcott Hill Road, Wethersfield, CT 06109

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