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Good afternoon:

Please find a public records request from Kayla Hardimon Butler attached. Feel free to contact me with any questions.

Thanks,

Kayla Hardimon Butler
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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST TO THE OFFICE OF THE VERMONT ATTORNEY GENERAL

Request Submitted to: Public Records Officer
Vermont Attorney General's Office
109 State Street
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Phone (802) 828-3171
Email: ago.publicrecordsrequests@vermont.gov

Date Requested: 12/16/2022

Request Submitted by: Certified Mail

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To Whom It May Concern:

In accordance with the provisions of the Vermont Public Records Law, §315 et seq., I request the following documents that are in the possession, custody, or control of the Office of the Vermont Attorney General:

1. All agreements or contracts concerning the State of Vermont's retention of The Cicala Law Firm PLLC, Watkins & Krutz LLC, Liston & Deas PLLC, Motley Rice, LLC, Cohen Milstein, 3 Axis Advisors, Myers Stauffer LC, or David Nutt & Associates P.C for any purpose, including but not limited to any engagement letters, retention agreements, or contingency-fee agreements between the Vermont Attorney General and any of those law firms;
2. Non-privileged records sufficient to show all payments or disbursements made by the State of Vermont or the Office of the Vermont Attorney General to The Cicala Law Firm PLLC, Forman, Watkins & Krutz LLC, Liston & Deas PLLC, Motley Rice, LLC, Cohen Milstein, 3 Axis Advisors, Myers Stauffer LC, or David Nutt & Associates P.C.;

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3. If not encompassed by the requests above, all documents related to the appointment of Joanne Cicala or any other Cicala Law Firm attorney, or any Forman, Watkins & Krutz LLC, Liston & Deas PLLC, Motley Rice, LLC, Cohen Milstein, 3 Axis Advisors, Myers Stauffer LC, or David Nutt & Associates P.C. attorney as a Special Assistant Attorney General by the Vermont Attorney General;
4. All agreements or contracts concerning the State of Vermont's retention of any lawyer or law firm in connection with any investigation or litigation related to pharmaceutical pricing, pharmaceuticals (including but not limited to opioids and insulin), health care, or Medicare, including but not limited to any engagement letters, retention agreements, or contingency-fee agreements;
5. Records sufficient to show all payments or disbursements made by the State of Vermont or the Office of the Vermont Attorney General to any lawyer or law firm in connection with any investigation or litigation related to pharmaceutical pricing, pharmaceuticals, (including but not limited to opioids and insulin), health care, or Medicare;
6. If not encompassed by the requests above, all documents related to the appointment of any lawyer or law firm in connection with any investigation or litigation related to pharmaceutical pricing, pharmaceuticals (including but not limited to opioids and insulin), health care, or Medicare; and
7. If not encompassed by the requests above, records sufficient to show any restrictions or limitations on the Office of the Vermont Attorney General's or any other lawyer's or law firm's use of any documents or information produced in connection with any investigation or litigation related to pharmaceutical pricing, pharmaceuticals (including but not limited to opioids and insulin), health care, or Medicare.

Please send electronic copies of the requested documents to kayla.butler@alston.com in PDF format.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Kayla Hardimon Butler

Kayla Hardimon Butler