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Please see attached.

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Shayne Spence  
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Re: Vermont Public Records Act request, dated April 22, 2020

Dear Mr. Spence:

I write in response to your request for public records, dated April 22, 2020. Your request was for “any and all e-mail communications between Vermont State Colleges Chancellor Jeb Spaulding and any employees of the Attorney General’s office, as well as communications between the Chancellor and the Governor’s office, pertaining to the proposed closure of Northern Vermont University and consolidation of Vermont Technical College.” The date range you specified was September 1, 2019 to April 18, 2020.

We informed you previously that the Attorney General’s Office is not the custodian of records for the portion of your request regarding communications between the Chancellor and the Governor’s Office.

As for the portion for which the Attorney General’s Office would be the custodian of records, we will need to invoke our right to additional time to respond to this request. As such, we will reply to your request on or before May 6, 2020.

Sincerely,

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
Charity R. Clark  
Chief of Staff