

BARR LAW GROUP

Attorneys at Law

Russell D. Barr *
Scott L. Keyes**
Jonathon R. Brigati*
Kimberly B. Cheney, Of Counsel**
Chandler W. Matson, Of Counsel ***
Benjamin E. Novogroski**

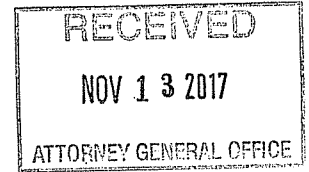
* Member VT and NY Bars
** Member VT Bar
*** Member VT, NY and MA Bars

Vermont

125 Mountain Road
Stowe, Vermont 05672
+1 802 253 6272 (t)
+1 802 253 6055 (f)

New York

100 Park Avenue, Suite 1600
New York, New York 10017
+1 212 486 3910 (t)
+1 212 486 7688 (f)



November 10, 2017

State of Vermont
Office of the Attorney General
109 State Street
Montpelier, VT 05609

Re: Public Records Request for the Office of the Attorney General

Dear Custodian of Records:

Under the Vermont Public Records Law, §315 et seq., I am requesting an opportunity to inspect or obtain copies of public records that have anything to do with the following:

- Any and all documents and communications related to the arrest, detainment or holding of any state employee while traveling overseas in promotion of the Vermont Regional Center and its related projects

If there are any fees for searching or copying these records, please inform me. However, I would also like to request a waiver of all fees in that the disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest and will contribute significantly to the public's understanding of the Agency of Commerce and Community Development's oversight of EB-5 projects.

This information is not being sought for commercial purposes.

The law requires the custodian to promptly respond to this request, or within 10 days for extraordinary circumstances. If you expect a significant delay in fulfilling this request, please contact me with information about when I might expect copies or the ability to inspect the requested records. I can be contacted at:

Barr Law Group
125 Mountain Road
Stowe, VT 05672

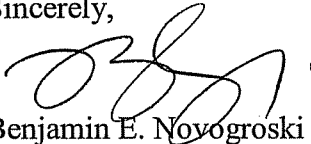
If you deny any or all of this request, please cite each specific exemption you feel justifies the refusal to release the information and notify me of the appeal procedures available to me under the law.

Letter to the Office of the Attorney General
November 10, 2017
Page 2 of 2

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Benjamin E. Novogroski". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "B" and "N".

Benjamin E. Novogroski