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Re: Petition for Public Records Disclosure Order
Department of Human Services
DOJ File No.: 100101-GA0065-26

Dear Mr. Stoery:

This letter is the Attorney General's response to your petition for disclosure under the Oregon Public Records Law, ORS 192.311 to 192.478. Your petition asks the Attorney General to order the Oregon Department of Human Services (ODHS) to disclose certain child welfare records pertaining to you.

We contacted Mallory Kenney, ODHS Public Records Unit Manager, regarding your petition. Considering the additional information provided in your email, Ms. Kenney informed us that ODHS has reopened your request and will be conducting an additional review of the records to determine if further information can be released to you. Because ODHS has reopened this records request, we respectfully dismiss your petition as moot. After ODHS completes its supplemental response, you may, of course, file a new petition if you believe ODHS has improperly withheld records from you.

Sincerely,

BENJAMIN GUTMAN
Deputy Attorney General

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