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October 22, 1992

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Re: Petition for Public Records Disclosure Order
DOJ File No. 603-004-0093

Dear Ms. McHale:

This letter is the Attorney General's order on your petition for disclosure of records under the Oregon Public Records Law, ORS 192.410 to 192.505. Your petition, which we received on October 19, 1992, asks the Attorney General to direct the Oregon Department of Agriculture (department) to make available "[A]ll letters written by Signa and/or Bonney Carlson sent to the Dept. of Agriculture and employees concerning the Josephine County Humane Society since June 15, 1991 to the present date and all future letters" and "[A]ll letters written by other individuals or groups sent to the Dept. of Agriculture and employees concerning the Josephine County Humane Society since January 1, 1991 to the present date and all future letters."

The department has agreed to release all existing[1/] records that you have requested. Accordingly, your petition is denied as moot.

Sincerely,

Amy Veranth
Opinions Coordinator
General Counsel Division

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c: Claudette Olson, Oregon Department of Agriculture

[1/] The Public Records Law applies only to existing records. You will need to periodically renew your request to the department in order to obtain any future public records.