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Date: 7/1/2014 6:02:22 PM
Subject: RE: Foia request and Paula Betha head of sc lottery

Mr. Hoagland,

Your own email trailers in your email of 6/29/14 reflect the fact that the questions you repeatedly pose have already been answered. Therefore, there is no "new" Freedom of Information request which requires a response. Since I have NOT served on a compensation committee for the Chamber in 7 years and have not been a board member for 16 years, and since I am NOT now, and have NEVER been, the godmother to the Miles children, there is absolutely nothing more to communicate.

Thank you.

Paula Harper Bethea

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-----Original Message-----

From: Skiphoagland [mailto:skiphoagland@yahoo.com]

Sent: Sunday, June 29, 2014 11:18 AM

To: Bethea, Paula Harper

Cc: T. Micah Leddy; mike Mcdonnell; Katherine Veldran; Nikki Haley; drew laughlin; rwarco@cbh.com; mark@marksanford.com; Weston Newton; David Hucks; Ashley Landess; Thenerve.org Rick; Will Folks; Fitz Mcaden; Tim Scott; scott brandon; Scott Big Scott Richardson Big Scott; John Munro; John Barnwell; John Carswell; John E. Rosen; david tigges; mike mcdonnell

Subject: Re: Foia request and Paula Betha head of sc lottery

Were you ever the God mother to Bill Miles children ? How did the Hilton head Chamber board when you served arrive at a 351k salary and benefits for Bill miles ? Trips to China , free golf memberships , website developed in Canada , appointed buddy board versus elected from Membership? Who owns the chamber ? Who are the employees ? We don't really know all just some as we all are being refused transparency . If someone refuses transparency all this is , is an admission of guilt . Correct ?

You were chairman of the compensation committee with Ray Warco and Charlie Brown correct ? If I am wrong on anything why have I not been sued ? Again emails , depositions , discovery can clear up all.

Further total transparency once our Foia lawsuit is won and or our member lawsuit for transparency , we will all see and understand much more .

For someone who runs our SC lottery certainly you should fully understand how important transparency is ? You should also fully understand why abuse , tax violations , unfair trade , conflicts of interest and corruption in SC needs to end . Lets all think about all of this as we sit in Church today . Thanks

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> On Nov 18, 2013, at 12:20 PM, "Bethea, Paula Harper" <PaulaHarper.Bethea@sclot.com> wrote:
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> I am NOT the godmother to Bill Miles children. I believe that Scott Richardson, and others, have told you this. And I have told you this now. Please stop this lie.

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> Paula Harper Bethea

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Skip Hoagland [mailto:skiphoagland@yahoo.com]

> Sent: Monday, November 18, 2013 12:11 PM

> To: Bethea, Paula Harper
> Cc: dean bell; T. Micah Leddy; Gary Sadowski; Rob Martin; mike Mcdonnell; Katherine Veldran; Nikki Haley; drew laughlin; rwarco@cbh.com; mike Mcdonnell; mark@marksanford.com; Weston Newton
> Subject: Re: Foia request
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> Paula , you were chairman of the compensation committee and the conflict is being the God mother of Bill Miles Children. Further his salary of 351k plus free golf membership , international travel , perks , insurance , bonuses could put this all above 400k and salary of President Obama , 4 times Gov Haley at 106k and I assume you as lottery commissioner not paid 400k ?????, more than many other chambers nationwide . Being a board member at a time when Bylaws were changed all need to be understood . I take it as God mother to Bill miles children many emails from some email account. I will leave this to any ongoing investigation . Thanks
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>> On Nov 18, 2013, at 11:30 AM, "Bethea, Paula Harper" <PaulaHarper.Bethea@sclot.com> wrote:
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>> Skip Hoagland (skiphoagland@yahoo.com)
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>> Dear Mr. Hoagland,
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>> I am responding to your Freedom of Information Act request of November 6, 2013, sent to me by electronic mail. Specifically, you requested all correspondence between Bill Miles and me via my sclot email including all past correspondence while I was on the Chamber Compensation Committee with Ray Warco and Charlie Brown. The documents you have requested relate to my service on a sub-committee of the Hilton Head Island/Bluffton Chamber of Commerce. I have considered your request in light of FOIA (S.C Code Ann. 30-4-10 et seq.) and my response follows.
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>> I have NO notes, e-mail, correspondence or other documents in my possession about the compensation committee of the Hilton Head Island/Bluffton Chamber of Commerce. When I was last on the Chamber's Compensation Committee, almost SIX (6) years ago, I was not an employee of SCEL and therefore did not have an sclot email account. Furthermore, I have not been on the Board of the Chamber for over 15 years and therefore make no governance decisions at the chamber. This information fully satisfies your request.
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>> I see no need to respond to further communications from you about this matter.
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>> Sincerely,
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>> Paula Harper Bethea

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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Skip Hoagland [mailto:skiphoagland@yahoo.com]

>> Sent: Wednesday, November 06, 2013 3:18 PM

>> To: Bethea, Paula Harper

>> Cc: dean bell; T. Micah Leddy; Gary Sadowski; Rob Martin; mike Mcdonnell; Katherine Veldran; Nikki Haley; drew laughlin; rwarco@cbh.com

>> Subject: Foia request

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>> Paula I am sending this Foia to you requesting all correspondence between you and Bill Miles via your sclot email including all past correspondence when you were head of the 3 person compensation committee with Ray Warco and Charlie Brown. All correspondence with Ray and Charlie as well . I have called them and like you when we talked last , have refused transparency and now hiding behind the skirts of lawyers hired by this chamber . I do not think these lawyers understand the potential harm they would cause to our state if they won , which will not happen . No one in our state will allow you and a few others to turn our state into some secret club for a few. Good news is there are much more leaders in our state that will not allow this to happen, me included . I would compare someone who endorses secrecy and transparency running our lottery to the fox guarding the hen house . Thanks

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