From: Bruder, Candace L
To: "Melanie Opena"
Cc: Godley, Molly D; Cartledge, Wendy B; Rowland, Gillian C
Subject: RE: Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request Form
Date: Thursday, April 11, 2024 4:45:21 PM
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Dear Ms. Opena,

The information you are requesting is already publicly accessible. Each of our school websites have directories listing employees assigned to their buildings, to include emails and titles. You can access links to each of our school websites here: Schools - Beaufort County School District (beaufortschools.net).

Additionally, you can look up any of our educators on the SCDE website to view their certifications: Educator Certification Status: Public Lookup - South Carolina Department of Education - 04/11/2024 4:14 PM (sc.gov).

Regards,
Candace

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Good day, Ms. Molly

We confirm that we will not be using the requested information for commercial solicitation.

Best,

Melanie Opena

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Dear Ms. Opena,

We are in receipt of your March 7, 2024 FOIA request. S.C. Code Ann. Section 30-2-50(c) prohibits the use of records for commercial solicitation. Before we can begin processing your request we ask that you please confirm that you will not be using the requested information for commercial solicitation.

Kind regards,

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Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request Form

Name: Melanie Opena

Organization (if applicable):	TEACH.org
Address:	[redacted]
Work Phone Number:	[redacted]
E-mail Address:	[redacted]
Public Records Requested (Description of Documents or Information Requested):	Dear Custodian of Records or District Representative: Pursuant to the state open records law South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, §30-4-10 et seq., I am requesting the following information in an Excel spreadsheet related to uncertified, currently employed teacher assistants, paraprofessionals, substitute teachers, educational aides, tutors, and any other campus-based instructional support staff in your district: -first and last name -work email address -job title -highest degree held (Associate's, Bachelor's, etc.) - if available If there are any fees for searching or copying these records, please inform me if the cost will exceed $40. The law requires that you respond to this request within 10 business days. If you expect a significant delay in responding to and fulfilling this request, please contact me with information about when I

might expect copies or the ability to inspect the requested records.

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. Thank you for considering my request.

Best,
Melanie Opena

You can edit this submission and view all your submissions easily.