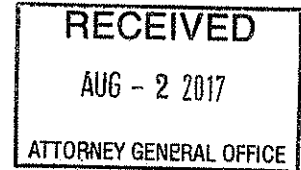# Vermonters
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July 31, 2017

T.J. Donovan, Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General
109 State Street
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Dear Attorney General Donovan,

Pursuant to Vermont's Public Records Act, V.S.A. Section 315-320, I hereby request copies of all letters, reports, studies and other writings, including electronic mail, telephone logs, and other documentation, issued, produced, recorded, or received by your Office between September 1, 2015 and February 19, 2016 in regards to the Attorney General's investigation into Annette Smith and/or Vermonters for a Clean Environment allegedly engaging in the Unlicensed Practice of Law.
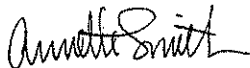
I am addressing this request to you in the belief that you are the custodian of such documents. If you are not, I request that you forward my request to the proper custodian of such documents and inform me of whom that person is.

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 any appeal procedures available to me to enforce the enforcement and penalty provisions contained in 1 V.S.A. §§ 319 and 320. If the law does not allow me to have access to some of these records, please so inform me within two business days, as provided by law. If an otherwise public record has a portion that is exempt from disclosure, I request that you block out the exempt portion and release a copy of the rest of the document together with a notation of the specific exemption that applies to the portion withheld.

If some or all of my request is denied, please tell me the title and name of the person responsible for the denial and, as the law requires, please inform me of the appeal procedures available to me and the name of the person to whom the appeal may be made.

Please call 802-446-2094 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Annette Smith
Executive Director