Dear Mr. Fanous,

Attached please find a response to your recent public records request. Thank you for contacting the Office of the Attorney General.

Best, Christopher

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March 17, 2020

Mr. James Fanous COO, JobPath 5 Penn Plaza, 23rd Floor New York, NY 10001 By Electronic Mail: james@yourjobpath.com

Dear Mr. Fanous,

Thank you for your public records request received March 12, 2020. You requested: "a list of veteran owned businesses and companies within the state that do business with veteran owned businesses" and any related information (addresses, etc.). The Office of the Attorney General is not the custodian of those records. We do not maintain a list of veteran owned businesses, nor other Vermont businesses that do business with veterans or their businesses. Accordingly, we do not have the records responsive to your request.

You may wish to contact one of three resources, however, for information that could assist you. The Vermont Office of Veterans Affairs maintains a business assistance website. For more information, please see: https://veterans.vermont.gov/benefits-and-services/transition-assistance/business-development. In addition, the Small Business Administration may be helpful. A good resource there is Ms. Chris Herriman at VT-SBA. She is the Economic Development Specialist and Veteran Business officer. She can be reached at https://www.vtsosonline.com/online/BusinessInquire/).

If you believe this response is in error or that documents were withheld you may appeal to Deputy Attorney General Joshua Diamond. I hope this information is helpful. Thank you for contacting the Office of the Attorney General.

Sincerely,

Christopher J. Curtis Chief, Public Protection Division