From: Abrams, Jill

**Sent:** Thursday, May 7, 2020 11:44 AM

**To:** Bauman, Valerie < <u>vbauman@bloombergindustry.com</u>>

**Subject:** Response to Public Records Request

Hi Valerie,

Attached are a cover letter regarding our response to your public records request and two responsive

emails. Jill

## Jill S. Abrams

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May 7, 2020

Via Email
Valerie Bauman
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re: Vermont Public Records Act Request

Dear Ms. Bauman,

I write in response to your Vermont Access to Public Records Act request dated April 23, 2020, and to follow-up on my April 28, 2020 letter to you. As with the April 23 letter, my communications are via email because, as we agreed, it is the most effective way to communicate under the COVID-19 circumstances.

Attached to the email that accompanies this letter are the documents that are responsive to your request for emails between attorneys or staff of the Vermont Attorney General's office and representatives of the pharmaceutical company Alkermes, including but not limited to Erin Hodges and Joey Lundbeck, which refer to abatement of the opioid crisis and Alkermes, or abatement of the opioid crisis and Vivitrol, for the period April 23, 2019 to the present.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jill S. Abrams Assistant Attorney General From: Sudbay, William on behalf of Joee Lindbeck

To: Abrams, Jill; Sudbay, William; Jeffrey Harris; Robert Forman; Erin Hodges; Patrick Lynch; Jeff Guimond

Subject: FW: Policy Considerations of the Opioid Litigation Settlements - Attorney General Donovan

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From: Joee Lindbeck < Joee. Lindbeck@alkermes.com>

Sent: Monday, April 20, 2020 11:22 AM

To: Joee Lindbeck; Sudbay, William; Jeffrey Harris; Robert Forman; Erin Hodges; Patrick Lynch; Jeff Guimond

Subject: Policy Considerations of the Opioid Litigation Settlements - Attorney General Donovan When: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

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From: <u>Joee Lindbeck</u>
To: <u>Abrams, Jill</u>

Subject: RE: Policy Considerations of the Opioid Litigation Settlements - Attorney General Donovan

**Date:** Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:51:38 AM

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Good Morning Jill-

I coordinated this call with Attorney General Donovan through Will Sudbay. Will must have forwarded you to invitation.

I'm sorry that you can't join us. The call is about medication assisted treatment for opioid use disorder and the opioid litigation.

If you would like to set up another call to discuss the topic, please let me know. I am available at 11 tomorrow.

Thanks!

Joee

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-----Original Appointment-----

From: Abrams, Jill <jill.abrams@vermont.gov>

**Sent:** Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:28 AM

To: Joee Lindbeck

Subject: EXT: Declined: Policy Considerations of the Opioid Litigation Settlements - Attorney General

Donovan

When: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

Where: Scott to phone Jill at 802-282-1106

Hi,

I'm not sure how this call was scheduled, but I have another meeting at this time. Perhaps you could email me and give me a sense of what the call is about and suggest some other times to talk. I am free tomorrow morning at 11.

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