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Subject: Kelaidis - Turke & Straus LLC - Public Records Request | Do Not Call, DNC

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2022-05-12 CAP cost estimate to Kelaidis - DNC thru Apr. 2022.pdf

Dear Jesse Kelaidis,

Attached is the response to your request.

Crystal Baldwin Consumer Assistance Program Office of the Attorney General Mailing Address: 109 State Street Montpelier, VT 05609-1001

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Via email to jessek@turkestrauss.com

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Re: Public Records Request 2022-03773

Dear Jesse Kelaidis,

I write in response to your Public Records Act request dated May 5, 2022, a copy of which is attached for your convenience.

For records of complaints concerning "consumer complaints regarding violations of the Do Not Call registry, including text message spam and complaints regarding junk faxes", we estimate that searching for, reviewing, and redacting the complaints (32 in total) will come to approximately 305 minutes. Note that there is no charge for the first 30 minutes. At 275 minutes, billed according to the Secretary of State's fee schedule for the rate of other staff time (\$.45 a minute), the cost of your Public Records Act request is an estimated \$123.75.

The Consumer Assistance Program (CAP) receives consumer complaints via our consumer hotline, standard web form, online scam form, email, and mail. These interactions are recorded as "Complaint Intakes" as well as the "Online Scam Form." Complaint Intakes have a field labeled "Description", where staff take notes during phone calls, copy and paste email reports, view webform submissions, or copy and paste transcribed voicemail messages. All fields of the Online Scam Form are searched. To satisfy your request, our office searched for the terms you specified in another similar request: "DNC", "Do Not Call", "fax ad", and "text m" (to allow for records that state "text msg" or "text message") in the description field. This search yielded 32 results between January 1, 2022 and April 30, 2022.

Per your request for files to be produced in the simplest form, our office will produce a spreadsheet containing Received Date, Description, Intake Method, First/Company Name, Last Name, City, State, Zip, Complaint Against Name, First/Company Name, Last Name, Address, State, Zip, Phone No 1, and Complaint/Intake# for Complaint Intakes. Complaints submitted through the Online Scam Form will be produced as individual documents.

We ask that you confirm your willingness to pay the estimated cost (\$123.75) before we proceed further with processing your request. Upon receipt of your check, the records will be made available for you. Checks may be sent to:

Attn: Public Records Request State of Vermont Office of the Attorney General 109 State Street Montpelier, VT 05609-1001

Thank you for contacting the Vermont Attorney General's Office.

Sincerely,

Crystal Baldwin

Consumer Assistance Program Office of the Attorney General State of Vermont