

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In The Matter of a Complaint by  
Tuan Do,

FINAL DECISION

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2019-0709

Executive Director, Vernon  
Housing Authority; and  
Vernon Housing Authority

Respondents

June 24, 2020

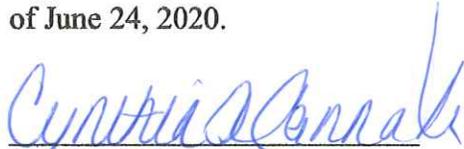
The above-captioned matter was scheduled to be heard as a contested case on February 27, 2020 at 1:00 p.m., at which time the respondents appeared, but the complainant did not appear to prosecute the case.

The hearing officer notes that Attorney Duncan J. Forsyth, counsel for the respondents appeared at the hearing with two witnesses. Specifically, it is noted that Attorney Forsyth appeared with Betsy Soto, Executive Director of the Vernon Housing Authority, and Attorney Michael S. Wrona from Halloran & Sage, LLP. Attorney Forsyth represented that both Ms. Soto and Mr. Wrona were prepared to testify in this matter concerning the process by which the records responsive to the underlying request were gathered, reviewed and disclosed to the complainant. Attorney Forsyth also represented that he had spent at least two and a half hours reviewing the case and preparing for the contested case hearing.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint:

1. The complaint is hereby dismissed.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting  
of June 24, 2020.



Cynthia A. Cannata  
Acting Clerk of the Commission

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-180(c), G.S., THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES OF EACH PARTY AND THE MOST RECENT MAILING ADDRESS, PROVIDED TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION, OF THE PARTIES OR THEIR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.

THE PARTIES TO THIS CONTESTED CASE ARE:

**TUAN DO**, 173 Union Street, Vernon, CT 06066  
**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, VERNON HOUSING AUTHORITY; AND VERNON HOUSING AUTHORITY**, c/o Attorney Duncan J. Forsyth, Halloran & Sage LLP, 225 Asylum Street, Hartford CT 06103



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