FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Kay Ding,

Complainant

Against

Docket #FIC 2025-0297

Director, Department of Health and Human Services, City of Hartford; Department of Health and Human Services, City of Hartford; and City of Hartford,

Respondents

November 19, 2025

The above-captioned matter was scheduled to be heard on October 17, 2025, at 1:00 p.m., at which time, the respondents appeared but the complainant failed to appear.

The hearing officer notes that Attorney Natalie Reichle, counsel for the respondents, appeared at the hearing with two witnesses. Specifically, it is noted that Attorney Reichle appeared with the City of Hartford's Worksite Monitor and Chief Sanitarium. Attorney Reichle represented that she had spent approximately ten hours on this matter and that the respondents provided all records responsive to the request at issue. Attorney Reichle further represented that she spent approximately one hour preparing with her two witnesses for the scheduled hearing.

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

1. The complaint is dismissed for failure to prosecute.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of November 19, 2025.

Jennifer M. Mayo
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:

KAY DING, 96 New Britain Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106

DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, CITY OF HARTFORD; DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, CITY OF HARTFORD; AND CITY OF HARTFORD, c/o Attorney Natalie Reichle, Office of the Corporation Counsel, 550 Main Street, Suite 210, Hartford, CT 06103

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