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Mr. Nate Carlisle
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Dear Mr. Carlisle:

Your public records request concerning the drug testing of The University of Akron's student athletes, which was submitted to President Proenza, was forwarded to the Records Compliance Office for a response.

Accordingly, the following documents are enclosed:

- A spreadsheet recording of positive tests
- Notification letters to student athletes of drug testing violations
- Reporting documentation concerning the drug testing of athletes
- The Department of Athletics' internal policy regarding the penalty phase of the drug testing policy along with Attachment A listing NCAA Banned Drugs
- The University of Akron's Drug Testing Procedures for Student-Athletes
- The budget allocated for the Drug Testing Program for fiscal years 2007, 2006, 2005, and 2004.

Drug testing of the student athletes at The University of Akron occurs once per month during the season per sport.

The University of Akron does not have a written agreement with any vendor for the drug testing of our student athletes. We do, however, have a verbal agreement with the Summa Health System Toxicology Department. The University of Akron did not request bids or proposals from vendors regarding its drug testing program.

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I trust this information is responsive to your request. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

c: Paul A. Herold, Chief Communication Officer