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Office of the General Counsel

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Nate Carlisle
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RE: Public Information Act Request

Dear Mr. Carlisle:

Attached is the information we have responsive to your request dated January 30, 2007. Ken Murray took over as Senior Associate Athletic Director for Sports Medicine approximately 18 months ago. We have very limited records of drug tests prior to that time, if any. The Athletics Department does not keep a calendar or other documentation indicating the frequency of drug tests administered to athletes. In regards to records related to punishments levied for positive tests, please see our drug testing policy, which is attached. There is no set budget for drug testing, nor are there any contracts or agreements with vendors who have a role in drug testing athletes. Drug tests are administered by University Medical Center, normally at the rate of \$15 per test. Along those lines, those services are not bid out or put up for public proposals.

I hope this information has been helpful to you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Victor M. Mellinger".

Victor M. Mellinger
Associate General Counsel

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c: Ken Murray