

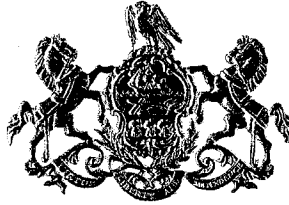
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Steven Crawford, Chief-of-Staff
Office of Governor Rendell
Room 225, Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Mr. Crawford:

The Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee has scheduled a public hearing to review the Commonwealth contract issued to the Institute of Terrorism Research and Response for subscription services and other intelligence reports provided to the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency and the state Homeland Security Department. The hearing will be Monday, September 27, 2010, at 10:00 AM in Hearing Room #1, North Office Building.

The Senate requests your presence at this hearing to provide testimony, along with the Director of the Governor's Policy Office and any other appropriate officials from the administration. Should you have any further questions, please contact my office at (717) 787-7428. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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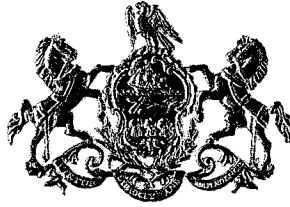
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Frank Pawloski, Commissioner
Pennsylvania State Police
3rd Floor, Department Headquarters
1800 Elmerton Avenue
Harrisburg, PA 17110

Dear Commissioner Pawloski:

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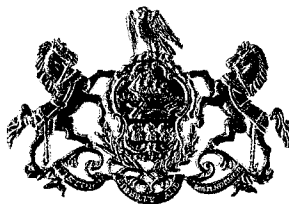
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Colonel James Powers, Director
Pennsylvania Homeland Security Department
2605 Interstate Drive
Harrisburg, PA 17110-9364

Dear Director Powers:

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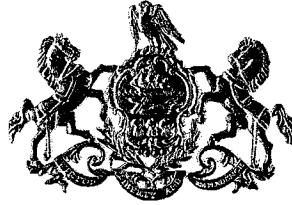
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General Robert French, Director
Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency
2605 Interstate Drive
Harrisburg, PA 17110-9364

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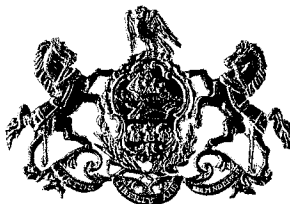
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Mr. Michael Perelman
Institute of Terrorism Research and Response
P.O. Box 56555
Philadelphia, PA 19111-6555

Dear Mr. Perelman:

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