

August 13, 2020

Representative Seth Grove House of Representatives 2501 Catherine Street York, PA 17408

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RE: Right to Know Law Request DOH-RTKL-MSC-298-2020

Dear Representative Grove:

This letter acknowledges receipt by the Pennsylvania Department of Health (Department) of your written request for records under the Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Law (RTKL), 65 P.S. §§ 67.101-67.3104. The Department received your request on August 6, 2020. Although the Department remains closed to the public, the Department is responding to requests when able to access records remotely. You requested:

The specific data including public health data and models used by the department to update the guidance issued on 8/06/2020 recommending scholastic and recreational youth sports be postponed until January 2021. Please include the data including the public health data and models used for the original guidance for purposes of comparison.

The Department conducted a search for records concerning your request and I have been advised that no records exist within the Department concerning your RTKL request. The Department has no records responsive to your request in its possession, under its custody or its control. Please be advised that the Office of the Governor may have the information you are requesting.

In accordance with Section 67.502(b)(1) of the RTKL, I am forwarding your request to the Agency Open Records Officer for the Office of the Governor. They may have records containing the information you are seeking. However, in order to avail yourself of the relief and remedies provided in the RTKL with respect to a response to your request by the Office of the Governor, you must make a written request to that agency, your request must state that it is being made

pursuant to the RTKL, and you must personally direct your RTKL request to the Office of the Governor as follows:

Marc Eisenstein Agency Open Records Officer PA Office of the Governor 225 Main Capitol Harrisburg, PA 17120

Email: RA-GOVRTKL@pa.gov

Please be advised that this correspondence will serve to close this record with our office as permitted by law.

Sincerely,

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