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Re: Open Records Request dated September 18, 2018

Dear Mr.

Per your September 25, 2018, telephone conversation with our paralegal, Stephanie Jackson, we limited the scope of Item No. 2 of your Open Records Request to two primary matters:

- Documents reflecting the Attorney General's interpretation of O.C.G.A. § 16-11-126(e) as it pertains to concealed carry licenses validly issued by other states to non-residents; and
- Documents reflecting the Attorney General's interpretation of O.C.G.A. § 16-11-126(e)
 as it pertains to concealed carry licenses validly issued by other states to persons under
 the age of 21.

By narrowing the scope of the search, we were able to significantly reduce the amount of time to research and respond to your request. In my letter of September 21, 2018, we estimated 15-20 hours for research and copying by a paralegal, plus 2-3 hours of review by an attorney. The actual time and charges are as follows:

Research and copying	5.25 hours	\$20.00 per hour	\$100.00 (less first .25 hours)
Review by an attorney	2.00 hours	\$37.00 per hour	\$ 74.00
Copies	130 pages	\$0.10 per page	\$ 13.00

Please note that some responsive documents were only available as electronic drafts in our document management system, and the dates on those letters updated automatically to the date of printing. We have noted each affected document. Additionally, all emails printed by Ms. Jackson have her name at the top of the page, even if she was not a party to the email. There was one document which we have declined to produce on the grounds that it is confidential attorney work product, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 50-18-72(a)(42).

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We hope the enclosed response meets your expectations.

As discussed with Ms. Jackson via email on October 1, 2018, the total cost of \$187.00 for this Open Records Request was less than the \$600.00 estimate we initially provided to you. We are also enclosing a check for refund in the amount of \$413.00.

Please let us know if our office may be of assistance in the future.

Sincerely

Rebecca J. Dobras

Assistant Attorney General

RJD/sj

Enclosures