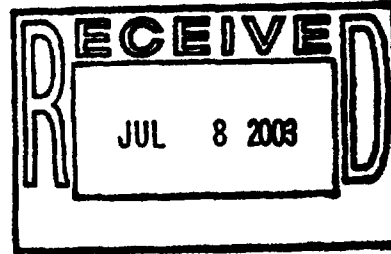


Mark J. Waner
Exemption 6

July 1, 2003

Department of the Interior
Attn: Freedom of Information Officer
Office of Information Resources Management
1849 C Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20240



Dear Freedom of Information / Open Records Officer:

Pursuant to the Federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and all other applicable state and federal statutes, I request from your department / agency (and all divisions and agencies under your jurisdiction), all publicly available documents including, but not limited to:

Any and all records of communication (including but not limited to letters, written requests, reports, telephone records, electronic communication, complaints, investigations, violation and memos) between your department (and all divisions and agencies under your jurisdiction) and the following individuals or partnerships:

1) Daniel "Dan" Hynes, or his offices for the following dates:

-November 1998 – present, during which he served as the Comptroller for the State of Illinois;

-1994 – 1998, during which he was an attorney for Hogan, Marren & McCahill, a Chicago law firm

If this request would generate a substantial number of documents, I would prefer to have an index of the documents. Of course, this request for an index does not preclude me from later requesting any or all of the documents included in the index. Additionally, I request that the information I seek be provided, if possible, in an electronic format via a personal computer disk or CD-ROM.

I understand that there might be costs associated with this request. I request a waiver of fees and ask for you to contact me by telephone before making copies if this request will be in excess of \$25.00.

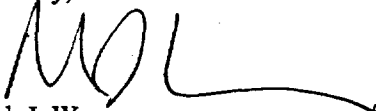
I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone at: Ex. 6 rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request. I look forward to your reply within 20 business days (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays), as the statute requires.

Please send all copies to:

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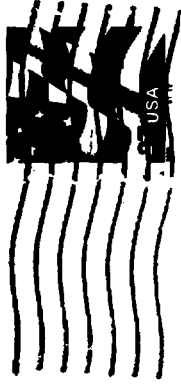
Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,


Mark J. Waner

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Department of the Interior,
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