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RE: DMAS/FOIA Petition for Mandamus [WMIMAN-IWOVRIC.FID2726720]

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Brian,

I look forward to working with you as well, but have to admit I am a little surprised the AG's office needs to utilize outside counsel to handle a FOIA dispute. I am happy to discuss a resolution to this after Christmas, but need you to understand that based on DMAS' actions, my client has lost trust in DMAS' ability to honor its commitments. Absent the immediate production of all requested documents, it may be difficult to find an amicable resolution. I look forward to speaking with you after Christmas.

I hope you have a Merry Christmas!

Thanks,
Matt

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Counsel:

DMAS has retained our firm in connection with the attached, which I am getting up to speed on. Please direct all future correspondence concerning this matter to myself and my colleague John Woolard.

Perhaps we can speak very soon after the holiday so that we can resolve this matter amicably and expeditiously, without the need for time-consuming litigation (especially around the holiday season).

I look forward to working with you.

Thanks,

Brian

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