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To: parrellgrossman@gmail.com
Cc: [Maier, Alisha](#); [Binstock, Rebecca](#); pmonson@cmcpllc.com
Subject: RE: Complaint Nos. 22-003 - 22-010 (CONFIDENTIAL)
Date: Thursday, July 11, 2024 2:53:48 PM
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Good afternoon Parrell,

Thank you for your patience as we evaluated this matter. At your request, the Commission is moving forward with requiring your attendance at an interview for our investigation. When we do this, we must do the interview as a deposition. Representative Dockter then has the opportunity to attend with counsel, if he chooses. We anticipate your deposition lasting no more than two hours. Our SAAG, Patricia Monson, will conduct the deposition as the lead attorney in these complaints.

Please let me know your availability for the week of August 12th, or later, and we will pin down a mutually agreeable date. Once we do so, we will finalize the documents and send them over to you. If you have any questions, please let me know. We look forward to hearing from you.

Pursuant to N.D.C.C. § 54-66-12(1), this email and any information you provide in response is a confidential record as defined in N.D.C.C. § 44-04-17.1.

Thank you,
Logan

From: Carpenter, Logan
Sent: Wednesday, June 12, 2024 10:36 AM
To: Parrell Grossman <parrellgrossman@gmail.com>
Cc: Maier, Alisha <amaier@nd.gov>; Binstock, Rebecca <rebinstock@nd.gov>
Subject: RE: Complaint Nos. 22-003 - 22-010 (CONFIDENTIAL)

Good morning Parrell,

Thank you for your response and the additional information. Let me confer with my team and I will get back to you in the coming weeks. The individuals present at an interview would be Executive Director Rebecca Binstock, our SAAG assigned to this matter, Patricia Monson, and myself.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Thank you,
Logan

From: Parrell Grossman <parrellgrossman@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 11, 2024 3:39 PM
To: Carpenter, Logan <logcarpenter@nd.gov>
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Logan:

Thank you for your June 11 letter.

I am retired and considerable time has passed since my earlier involvement in this matter. I am uncertain what information I might have that others in the Attorney General's Office would not also be able to provide. Further, I doubt my information would differ from information I previously provided to the State Auditor. Nonetheless, I understand you have the authority to interview me. However, unless you are not required to do so, I would prefer this interview be pursuant to a Subpoena. I believe that a Subpoena might provide me some protection possibly not afforded pursuant to a voluntary interview. I would appreciate it if you provide me with a Subpoena for an agreed upon date and time. I will certainly sign and return an admission of service.

Also, I would appreciate it if you would provide me at this time the names of all persons that would be present for or participating in any interview involving me.

I am not available June 25th, as I will be out of state that entire week. Otherwise, my calendar for June is fairly jammed up. I will not be available the week of July 1. I will be out of state for a Uniform Law Commission meeting July 18-26.

I would be available July 8-12, and July 29-31, any times after 10:00 a.m. Otherwise, my schedule for August is quite flexible at this time.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Parrell D. Grossman

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On Tue, Jun 11, 2024 at 12:22 PM Maier, Alisha <amaier@nd.gov> wrote:

| Good afternoon, Mr. Grossman:

Please find a letter from Logan Carpenter, General Counsel for the North Dakota Ethics Commission, attached to this email.

Please reach out to our office with any questions or concerns.

Thanks,

[Alisha Maier](#)

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