

March 16, 2017

VIA E-MAIL

Mr. Tom Stone

RE: 17-FOIA-068 Metra-Amtrak Contracts

Dear Mr. Stone:

We are in receipt of your request for information pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.

On March 2, 2017, we received your request for any and all contracts between Metra and Amtrak (a.k.a. NRPC) that allows said railroad to use any and all Metra trackage ("Request").

In response to your Request, Metra's Contracts department is providing you with the Agreement between the Commuter Rail Division of the Regional Transportation Authority (Metra) and National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak), dated May 1, 1996, with Amendments 1-20, and a 2007 Letter citing Section 3.2A of the above-referenced Agreement.

After performing a diligent search of Metra's records, we have been unable to locate any records prior to the May 1, 1996 Agreement responsive to your Request for "any and all contracts between Metra and Amtrak that allows said railroad to use any and all Metra trackage."

If we can be of further service to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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Attachments