



OHIO DEMOCRATIC PARTY

December 1, 2015

The Honorable Barbara R. Sears
State Representative
77 S. High St., 14th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: Public Records Request

Attention:

This is a request pursuant to Ohio Revised Code §149.43, respectfully requesting any and all records including (but not limited to) documents, hand-written notes, and communications stored electronically or in hard copy, relating to the development and introduction of House Bill 394, legislation to reform Ohio's Unemployment Benefits Fund. Please include any and all communications with the Ohio Chamber of Commerce and other non-profit or for-profit entities with whom you or your office communicated regarding HB 394.

Please produce the requested records within a reasonable period of time. We prefer these documents to be returned in electronic form, (however, please do not omit any documents that are only available in hard copy). We anticipate that many of these records will be easy for your office to produce, and request that you produce them on a rolling basis as you are able to copy or otherwise reproduce them. We do not wish to wait until you have gathered all of the requested records before you produce them. Please let me know when you anticipate producing records.

If there is any information that will be excluded or any materials that will be redacted (other than Social Security numbers) pertaining to our request, we want to know those categories and under what privacy law or other provisions they are withheld or redacted.

Should any portion of this request be denied, in part or in whole, the law requires written justification for its denial, along with a citation of the appropriate Open Records Act exemption that applies for each record, or portion thereof, that is withheld or redacted.

If you have any questions concerning this request, please contact me at (614) 329-0024 or via email at jmoore@ohiodems.org.

Sincerely,

Jenifer Moore
Ohio Democratic Party

cc: Ohio House Speaker Rosenberger, District 91
Mike Dittoe, Chief of Staff, Ohio House Majority Caucus
Shawn Kasych, Policy Director, Ohio House Majority Caucus