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Meg Denning True the Vote

By email only to research@truethevote.org

Re: Public Records Request #25-210

Dear Ms. Denning:

This letter is in response to your October 13, 2025, request under the Public Records Law, G.L. c. 66, § 10 et seq., seeking "all records, communications, directives, or guidance created or received by your office since March 25, 2025, related to Executive Order 14248, titled 'Preserving and Protecting the Integrity of American Elections.'"

This Office does not have any records in its possession, custody or control that are responsive to your request. A record holder's duty to comply with requests for information extends only to those records which exist and are in its custody. G.L. c. 4, § 7, cl. 26 (defining "public records" as those non-exempt materials made or received by a public employee). See 950 C.M.R. 32.03 (defining "custodian" as the public employee with routine access to or control of public records).

The law requires this Office to inform you that if you wish to challenge this response, you may appeal to the Supervisor of Public Records following the procedure set forth in 950 C.M.R. 32.08, a copy of which is online at http://www.mass.gov/courts/case-legal-res/law-lib/laws-by-source/cmr/, and you may file a civil action in Superior Court in accordance with G.L. c. 66, § 10A.

Sincerely,

/s/ Meagan Horn Assistant District Attorney

