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OR2022-16815

Re: Request for R007087 for certain communications and certain records related to credentialing

Dear Ms. Vinson:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 951136.

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted representative sample of information, we have determined your request does not present a novel or complex issue.<sup>1</sup> Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. We understand you have released some information and will withhold some of the requested information in accordance with the previous determinations issued in Open Records Letter No. 2022-13609 (2022) and 2022-. See Open Records Decision No. 673 (2001) (so long as law, facts, and circumstances on which prior ruling was based have not changed, first type of previous determination exists where requested information is precisely same information as was addressed in prior attorney general ruling, ruling is addressed to same governmental body, and ruling concludes that information is or is not excepted from disclosure). You claim the marked information may be withheld from the requestor pursuant to section 552.107 of the Government Code. Upon review of your arguments and the submitted information, we conclude you may withhold the remaining information you marked under section 552.107.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> We assume that the "representative sample" of records submitted to this office is truly representative of the requested records as a whole. See Open Records Decision Nos. 499 (1988), 497 (1988). This open records letter does not reach, and therefore does not authorize the withholding of, any other requested records to the extent that those records contain substantially different types of information than that submitted to this office.

<sup>2</sup> As our ruling is dispositive, we need not address your remaining argument against disclosure of this information.

For more information on the cited exception, please refer to the open government information on our website at <https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/open-government/governmental-bodies/open-records-memorandum-rulings>. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

c: Requestor