



The Illinois Department of Corrections

1301 Concordia Court, P.O. Box 19277 • Springfield, IL 62794-9277 • (217) 558-2200 TDD: (800) 526-0844

July 15, 2020

Tracy Siska
tsiska@chicagojustice.org

Re: Freedom of Information Request #200706041

This letter is in response to your request to the Illinois Department of Corrections ("IDOC") pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1, et seq.

You have submitted the following request:

Documents sufficient to show, or from which can be derived, the data related to discipline from 2000-2020. At a minimum, this data should include:

1. aggregate number of infractions by type, facility and year
2. aggregate number of times discipline was imposed on inmates by infraction type, discipline type, facility, and year
3. the number of times solitary confinement or administrative segregation was used by facility, offense type, duration, and year

Response: A spreadsheet responsive to request number 1 is enclosed. The disciplinary system is not designed to produce a spreadsheet in the manner requested for requests 2 and 3. Offender tickets can contain multiple offenses and multiple types of discipline can be imposed for those offenses.

In the event you view this response as a denial of your request, you have a right to have the denial reviewed by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). You can file your request for review with the PAC to:

Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Mission: To serve justice in Illinois and increase public safety by promoting positive change in offender behavior, operating successful reentry programs, and reducing victimization.

You also have the right to seek judicial review of your denial by filing a lawsuit in the state circuit court, pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/11.

If you choose to file a request for review with the PAC, you must do so within 60 calendar days of the date of this denial letter (5 ILCS 140/9.5(a)). Please note that you must include a copy of your original FOIA request and this denial letter when filing a request for review with the PAC.

Sincerely,
Lisa Weitekamp
Freedom of Information Officer

Enclosure