



STATE OF NEW YORK
EXECUTIVE CHAMBER
ALBANY 12224

ANDREW M. CUOMO
GOVERNOR

November 7, 2011

Mr. Yoel Weisshaus
516 River Road 6
New Milford, New Jersey 07646

Dear Mr. Weisshaus:

This letter responds to your correspondence dated October 5, 2011, which, pursuant to FOIL, requested:

[1] Full disclosure of all the information and meetings between Governor Cuomo and NJ Governor Chris Christie, on the subject of the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey's decision to increase toll prices, which was enacted September 18, 2011. In addition, [2] full disclosure of the process, time, and manner that were used to work by the governor to conclude that the Port Authority's decision to increase toll price are just and reasonable. The governors met and dined July 29, 2011 at the Beacon Restaurant in New York City. Requesting full disclosure of the [2] minutes and transcripts of the conversation transpired between the two governors. In addition, full disclosure of [3] receipts and payment as to who paid or sponsored the food ordered as well consumed by the Governor and his staff at the Beacon Restaurant in New York City on July 29, 2011. This shall also include time or arrival and departure. Full disclosure consists of identifying documents, emails, and all type of evidence that include minutes and transcripts of topics and discussions that were held in connection with the foregoing requests.

FOIL requires the Executive Chamber to provide you with records in its possession. FOIL does not require the Executive Chamber to provide you with advice or information. A portion of item one above and item two above request information, not documents. The meetings can be found at www.governor.ny.gov.

Please be advised that the New York State Executive Chamber has conducted a diligent search and does not possess records that respond to items two and three of your request.



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Pursuant to Public Officers Law § 89(4), you have thirty (30) days to take a written appeal of this determination. You may make an appeal by writing: FOIL Appeals Officer, Executive Chamber, State of New York, Albany, NY, 12224.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy C. Karp". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, prominent loop at the end of the name.

Amy C. Karp
Assistant Counsel to the Governor
Records Access Officer