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Mr. John Paff
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RE: Somerset County Prosecutor's Office Case File #1412-0825

Dear Mr. Paff:

Please be advised that this office has concluded its review of your letter dated November 12, 2014 concerning the Bound Brook School District bond referendum. Although the Zander material you identify may not provide the most comprehensive picture concerning not only the amount of debt incurred, but also the duration of that debt, it does not substantiate the commission of a criminal offense.

Local school board or town attorneys should be able to advise their school districts and towns about potential civil liability if the material produced by them or on their behalf is inappropriate.

Since there is no criminal violation as a result of the production of the Zander material or the employment of Zander Consulting, the matter has been administratively closed.

Very truly yours,

GEOFFREY D. SORIANO
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By:


Sergeant Michael Schutta
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