

GOVERNMENT RECORDS COUNCIL
Administrative Case Disposition – Not Within GRC Jurisdiction

GRC Complaint No: 2006-132

Complainant: Frank Shaineline

Custodian: Haledon Borough Municipal Court, Kelly Mullanaphy

Date of Request: June 26, 2006

Date of Complaint: June 29, 2006

Case Disposition: The Complainant asserts a denial of access to records requested on June 26, 2006; however the GRC does not have jurisdiction over the Municipal Court of Haledon Borough, as it falls under the Judicial branch of government.

Type of Administrative Disposition: Judicial or legislative jurisdiction not within the scope of OPRA.

Applicable OPRA Provision: N.J.S.A. 47:1A-7.g. provides that: “[t]he council shall not have jurisdiction over the Judicial or Legislative Branches of State Government or any agency, officer, or employee of those branches.”

This is the final administrative determination in this matter. Any further review should be pursued in the Appellate Division of the Superior Court of New Jersey within forty-five (45) days. Information about the appeals process can be obtained from the Appellate Division Clerk’s Office, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 W. Market St. PO Box 006, Trenton, NJ 08625-0006.

Effective Date of Disposition: November 15, 2005

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Date: November 8, 2006