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Elizabeth Markowitz, Chief Strategy Officer
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Re: FOIA request for court information in State of Georgia v. Trump et al
Via email only to elizabeth.markowitz@fultoncountyga.gov; and
nicholas.cotten@fultoncountyga.gov

Dear Ms. Markowitz:

Thanks very much for your timely response.

With respect to my first request, for docket numbers or other identifiers, you offer me the docket sheet. I'm able to get the public docket sheet online through Tyler Technologies. Do you have a separate docket sheet that has docket numbers or identifiers? If not, please spare yourself the trouble of providing the docket sheet.

As I explained in my letter 9-18-2022, I'm trying to make the docket numbers in my own set (publicly available online) match the official numbers. If that's impossible or impractical, please just explain. You don't indicate whether or not the docket sheet you reference has the official identifiers. If not, that resource is not useful for my purposes. If it does, I need them.

I found your [high profile cases](#) section online. I went through all 88 items on 9-20-2022, and downloaded the ones that I was missing. This morning I looked and saw a total of 92 items. The last 4 items on the list are all items that I have already downloaded. Thus it appears to me that this list is random, with nothing to help me figure out which ones I have and which ones I don't. There are four additional items, but I'm mystified about how I should discern which ones are new since the list had 88 items. Can you enlighten me?

I asked for a feed. You tell me that no such feed exists. However, looking at the certificates of service, I see that the lawyers certify that they have served these pleadings electronically. For example I see "I hereby certify I electronically filed the

foregoing document with the Clerk of Court using Odyssey Efile Georgia electronic filing system that will send notification to all parties of record."

That's the feed I'm trying to get. Counsel for the press were able to enter and thus get the electronic feed, plus Efiling privileges. I don't want or need filing privileges. I want copies of the filings in real time.

Would you be so kind as to reconsider your conclusion that "no such feed exists?"

Keep in mind that I have demonstrated that there is no alternative way to maintain a set of pleadings in real time or near real time. Nothing I have seen so far puts the dates on filings. There are 19 defendants, it is utterly impractical to check all 19 docket sheets. Plus, Tyler Technologies charges me 5 times the legal maximum per page, and hits my bank account twice for every document I get. I see no legal authorization for a "convenience fee" for the most inconvenient downloading system I've ever seen.

You didn't address my requested waiver of fees. I request that you provide me with the same feed that lawyers get, at no charge. Criminal prosecutions are inherently matters of public concern. I'm trying to provide a reasonably complete, user-friendly set of court filings to the public.

Regarding the stricken documents, are you saying that the order of striking inherently denies me the right to see the document? How would an aggrieved party appeal the striking of a document, if those documents aren't maintained in the court clerk's files? In the federal system, stricken pleadings remain visible, at least for some users.

I'm willing to drop my request for the stricken pleading, if I can get feeds to cases of interest.

Kindest regards,

/s/ Oscar Stilley

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