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VIA Email: juliagoldberg@sfreporter.com

Dear Julia Goldburg:

This letter acknowledges that on August 4, 2022, the New Mexico Department of Health ("DOH") received your public record request made pursuant to the Inspection of Public Records Act, NMSA 1978, §§ 14-2-1 et. seq. You requested the following public records:

REQUEST:
This is a request under the state Inspection of Public Records Act (IPRA) copies of the 2022 U.S. Monkeypox Outbreak Short Case Report Form provided by NMDOH to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, including:
- County of residence for each case
- Age
- Gender
- Reported travel
- Reported exposures
- Hospital status

I assume any identifying names will be redacted from this information and will accept in lieu of redacted forms a spreadsheet or other documents as long as it includes the five criteria listed above. For example, the information could be provided in formats such as numerous other state health departments have been using to provide information to the public, such as the California Health Department's information portal: https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/Monkeypox.aspx or New York's information page: https://health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/zoonoses/monkeypox/

DOH will need additional time to respond to your request and will respond by August 19, 2022. Please note, DOH charges a $0.25 per page fee for copies of public records.

If you have any questions related to this request, please contact our office via email at DOH-IPRA@state.nm.us.

The individual(s) responsible for the information being disclosed is Amanda Frazier, Chief Privacy Officer and Deniece Griego-Martinez, Records Custodian.

Sincerely,

/S/
Deniece Griego-Martinez

Records Custodian