

CLOSED SESSION MINUTES
Government Records Council
March 13, 2003

The Council convened in closed session at 9:35 a.m. in Room 235 of the Department of Community Affairs.

Mr. Pfeiffer briefly explained Complaint 2002-36, L.E. Fisher v. Passaic County Community College, involving a request for a copy of a recent invoice from outside counsel to the College. Ms. Conklin explained the factors relevant to a decision to provide the parties the opportunity to comment on prevailing party status.

Mr. Pfeiffer briefly explained Complaint 2002-39, L.E. Fisher v. Township of Fairfield, which also involved a request for a copy of a recent invoice from outside counsel. Ms. Conklin reviewed issues concerning a recommendation that the Council remove this complaint from the agenda pending receipt from the custodian's attorney of written response to the Executive Director's Finding and Recommendations.

(Dr. Pfennig arrived at the meeting at approximately 10:15.)

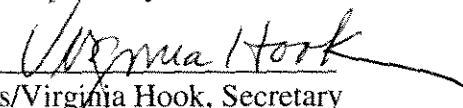
In reviewing Complaint 2002-34, L.E. Fisher v. Township of Cedar Grove and Complaint 2002-35, L.E. Fisher v. New Jersey Institute of Technology, the Council observed that it had just been provided with the Director's Findings and Recommendations, and asked Ms. Conklin to review the law relating to attorney-client communications and other privileged communications. Mr. Maltese requested that Ms. Conklin provide a legal memorandum addressing the issue of invoice redactions within the next thirty days.

Mr. Caldwell moved to adjourn the Executive Session, with a second by Ms. Hook. The motion was adopted by a roll call:

Aye: Dr. Pfennig, Mr. Caldwell, Ms. Hook, Mr. Spigner and Mr. Maltese

The closed session ended at 10:40 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,


s/Virginia Hook, Secretary