

## NEW JERSEY GOVERNMENT RECORDS COUNCIL Administrative Complaint Disposition – Request not within the Council's

jurisdiction to adjudicate (request made to the Judiciary)

GRC Complaint No.: 2010-66

**Complainant:** Beverly Milgram Flowers **Custodian:** New Jersey Judiciary, Lawyer's Fund for Client Protection, Executive Director Kenneth Bossong

**Date of Request:** January 2, 2010 **Date of Complaint:** April 6, 2010<sup>1</sup>

**Complaint Disposition:** The Complainant asserts a denial of access to records requested on January 2, 2010. However, the GRC does not have jurisdiction over records request made of the Attorney's Fund for Client Protection, as it falls under the Judicial Branch of government.

**Applicable OPRA Provision:** "The council shall not have jurisdiction over the Judicial or Legislative Branches of State Government or any agency, officer, or employee of those branches." <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 47:1A-7.g.

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: April 28, 2010

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Date: April 26, 2010

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The GRC received the Denial of Access Complaint on said date.