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Mackenzie Clark
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Dear Ms. Clark,

This office is in receipt of your email sent Thursday, March 11, 2021 9:20 PM under the auspices of the Kansas Open Records Act requesting the following information:

1. Any and all emails and/or attachments sent to, from, CC, BCC and/or between any Douglas County district attorney's office email addresses referencing, or responding to messages referencing, incident # L17026466, dated on or after March 1, 2017.
2. Records sufficient to identify the dates or approximate dates when any Douglas County district attorney's office employee was moved into or out of a charging position, as well as their salaries before and after such moves, dated on or after Jan. 1, 2015.

Your request for item number one is denied pursuant to:

K.S.A 45-221 (a)(10) Criminal investigation records are not required to be disclosed.

K.S.A. 45-221 (a)(25) Records which represent and constitute the work product of an attorney are not required to be disclosed.

K.S.A. 45-221 (a)(30) Public records containing information of a personal nature where the public disclosure thereof would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy are not required to be disclosed.

At this time there is no justification in the statute that would compel us to disclose.

Regarding your request for item number two, no such record exists.

You have the right to bring a private law suit or to file a complaint with the Kansas Attorney General's Office if you feel you are wrongfully denied records. You may contact the Attorney General's Office at (785)298-2215 or visit <https://ag.ks.gov/open-government>.

Sincerely yours,

/s/Dorothy Kliem
Freedom of Information Officer