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Legislative Ethics Commission
c/o Laurie Eby, Executive Director
420 Stratton Building
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Members of the Legislative Ethics Commission:

Pursuant to Section 5-10.5 of the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act, I am providing the following report regarding the Sexual Harassment training program for the House Republican caucus members and staff in calendar year 2021.

- 1) In calendar year 2021, House Republican staff completed harassment and discrimination training using the online video training put together by the Legislative Reference Bureau or via a presentation given by the Ethics Officer for the Caucus. House Republican Caucus members (legislators) were given training by the Caucus Ethics Officer, Derek Persico, in person during the Fall 2021 Veto Session. Those who were unable to attend the in-person training session completed their training requirements using the LRB online video training.
- 2) All Republican Representatives completed the required training.
- 3) All staff completed the required training.
- 4) All interns in the summer of 2021 completed the required training.
- 5) For 2022, this office will continue to hold training sessions conducted by the Ethics Officer for the Caucus using materials from past presentations and other sources or from the online training video put together by the Legislative Reference Bureau. If the Legislative Ethics Commission develops a training program, we will transition to using that program.

If you need any additional information, please contact our Ethics Officer, Derek Persico.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim Durkin".

Jim Durkin
House Republican Leader