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RE: Public Records Act Request, Reference Number P013439-080421

Dear Kim Leonoudakis,

On August 04, 2021, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) received your request for the following records under the Public Records Act:

1. describing the isolation of the of the SARS-COV-2 (COVID-19) virus including any "variants" that allegedly causes the disease referred to as COVID-19 in the United States, directly from a sample taken from a diseased patient, where the patient sample was not first combined with any other source of genetic material (i.e., monkey kidney cells, aka vero cells; liver cancer cells; fetal bovine serum).

2. describing how this alleged new variant referred to as Delta relates to the alleged "SARSCOV-2 (COVID-19) virus" including any analysis or investigation into this alleged new variant, Delta.

3. I am not requesting records where "isolation of a "SARS-COV-2" refers instead only to:

- the culturing of something: and/or*
- the performance of an amplification test (i.e. a PCR test), and/or*
- the sequencing of something, or*
- the fabrication of a genome.*

After reviewing your initial request, we were unable to identify the requested information based upon the description. Accordingly, on Aug 12, 2021, we requested additional information from you in order to clarify certain portions of your request so that we may have provided responsive records, if any. You provided the clarifying information on Aug 15, 2021.

After reviewing your initial request, and subsequent clarifying information, CDPH has determined it is not in possession of records that are responsive to the request.

Thank you,

Chloe Guidera

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