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Dear Erin,

As the Director of the Senate Business Office, I am responsible for responding to information requests under the provisions of the Senate Rules, which state that financial records shall be open to public inspection.

In response to your request dated July 22, 2022, the Senate has made payments to Kienbaum Hardy Viviano Pelton & Forrest PLC totaling \$10,797.50 and to Schaerr Jaffe LLP totaling \$24,952.50 for legal services related to Michigan's 1931 abortion law. The information requested related to emails, texts, and other communication, does not represent a financial record and, therefore, is not subject to disclosure under Senate Rules.

Please note any future access to information requests will have to be submitted separately.

Sincerely,

Jordan C. Hankwitz

Director, Senate Business Office

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