

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by FINAL DECISION
Theresa Carruthers Docket #FIC83-189
Complainant(s) February 22, 1984

vs.

Town of Wallingford Planning
and Zoning Commission,
Zoning Board of Appeals and
Mayor

Respondent(s)

The above captioned matter was scheduled for hearing November 14, 1983 at which time the respondent appeared and made a statement on behalf of it and the complainant herein.

The respondent is a public agency within the meaning of §1-18a(a), G.S.

The following facts were recited for the record:


The complainant sought to inspect records of the respondent board pursuant to §1-19(a), G.S. but was denied access thereto. Subsequently the town attorney informed employees of the office that the complainant had a right to inspect public records on file in the office, although as custodians of the records employees of the office might supervise the complainant's inspection of the records.

Thereafter the complainant was able to arrange to inspect the records.

The respondent agreed that the following order may enter herein.

1. The respondent will henceforth comply with the requirement of §1-19(a), G.S. which provides in relevant part that every person shall have the right to inspect public records promptly during regular office or business hours.

Approved by order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of February 22, 1984.



Mary Jo Jolicœur
Clerk of the Commission