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Ms. Sara Hardner Leon
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OR94-289

Dear Ms. Leon:

On behalf of the Round Rock Independent School District (the "school district"), you seek clarification of our ruling in Open Records Letter No. 94-147 (1994), in which this office determined that the school district must withhold certain information under the Texas Open Records Act, Government Code chapter 552.

You have submitted to us for review portions of an attorney billing statement that are responsive to the request for information addressed in Open Records Letter No. 94-147. You claim that sections 552.101 and 552.114 of the Government Code except from required public disclosure some of the information contained on the submitted billing statement. We have examined the information you seek to withhold. We conclude that the school district must withhold it under the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 ("FERPA"), 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, incorporated into the Open Records Act by section 552.026 of the Government Code.

If you have any more questions, please contact this office.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan L. Garrison".

Susan L. Garrison
Assistant Attorney General
Open Government Section

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Enclosures: Submitted documents

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