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January 3, 2017

Mr. Justin Frehlich 952 East Connie Lane Oak Creek, WI 53154

RE:

C.I. File No. 1032-2016-2617

Communication from JUSTIN FREHLICH

Dear Mr. Frehlich:

We have received your claim for the amount of \$357.01 regarding property damage you sustained in relation to a search warrant served on October 6, 2016 at 2367 South 15<sup>th</sup> and Place.

Our investigation reveals that the Milwaukee Police Department executed a lawful search warrant which necessitated the use of force to fully execute the warrant. This use of force is authorized by Section 968.14 of the Wisconsin Statutes. Therefore, the City of Milwaukee is not liable. Accordingly, we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a written statement requesting a hearing within 21 days of the postmarked date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. Please include a photocopy of this letter's envelope, showing the postmark, and retain the original in the event further proof is needed.

Very truly yours,

GRANT F MANGI FY

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KARI GIPSON Investigator Adjuster

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