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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

[redacted]

Re: Town of Newton Water Department

Dear [redacted]

On February 22, 2016 my Office received your petition under Ala. Code §13A-11-61.3 regarding a possible violation of Alabama law by the Town of Newton. Specifically, you alleged that the Newton Water Department posted signs prohibiting firearms.

My Office's investigation confirmed that the Town of Newton posted the signs. I asked the Town of Newton to explain its legal justification for prohibiting weapons. The Town of Newton reviewed a redacted copy of your petition and the relevant portions of Alabama law and removed these signs. Because the Town of Newton is compliant with Alabama law, I have determined that there is no further action required under Ala. Code § 13A-11-61.3.

A redacted copy of this letter will be posted to my Office's website, in compliance with the statutory requirement under Ala. Code § 13A-11-61.3(f)(3).

Sincerely,

Luther Strange

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