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Mr. Charles Steger, President
VIRGINIA TECH
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**Re: Request for information pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of
Information Act (Virginia Code §§ 2.1-340 et. seq.)**

**My Client: SportsWar, L.L.C.,
a Virginia Limited Liability Company**
My File No.: 14033 (General Counsel Matters)

Dear President Steger:

The undersigned serves as General Counsel to SportsWar, L.L.C., a Virginia Limited Liability Company ("SportsWar"). On behalf of SportsWar and as a citizen of the Commonwealth of Virginia, I hereby request that the following public records be made available for inspection and copying in accord with §§ 2.1-340 et seq. of the Code of Virginia (the Virginia Freedom of Information Act):

1. Any and all documents, memoranda, written communications or other tangible writings, including any such documents stored on electronic media, and all electronic communications, developing, stating or creating Virginia Tech's current policy on media credentialing and the granting of access for media for Virginia Tech athletic events. If such policy has been changed since 1997, all similar documents related to all prior policies are also requested.

2. Copy of all media credential/access requests for all Virginia Tech football games, men's basketball games and women's basketball games and the responses thereto (whether granting or refusing such requests) from June 1, 1998, to January 12, 2001, inclusive.

3. A list of all individuals, entities or media granted or denied access to weekly Virginia Tech football team press interview sessions during the 1998, 1999, and 2000 football seasons. If any such request was denied, an explanation as to the reason for such denial should also be provided.

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4. A list of all individuals, entities or media granted or denied access to Virginia Tech football practices since July 1, 1999, including both Spring and Fall practices. If any such request was denied, an explanation as to the reason for such denial should also be provided.

5. Copy of any request for media credentials/access made by or on behalf of www.beamerball.com and/or Frank Beamer.

6. Copy of CollegeFootballNews.com's interview request for Michael Vick for the interview that ran on their web site on or about August 9, 2000.

7. Copy of WarChant.com's interview request for Frank Beamer for the interview that ran on their web site on or about December 20, 1999.

I will look forward to receiving your written response within the time period provided by the Virginia Code and will, of course, should the public records requested be voluminous, also be pleased to make the necessary arrangements with your office to inspect such records at a mutually convenient date and time.

As I look forward to your further word in this regard, I am,

Very truly yours,

Pender & Coward P.C.

Douglas J. Glenn

pc: Mr. Jim Weaver (*via overnight courier*)
Director of Athletics
Virginia Tech
SportsWar, L.L.C.