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Honorable Andrew D. Owens, Jr.
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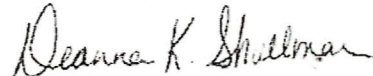
Re: Order Permitting Destruction of Public Record
Case No. 2003-CP-1071-NC

Dear Judge Owens,

Attached please find a letter to the Sarasota County Sheriff's Office concerning its destruction of a public record that was responsive to a Public Records Act request by the *Orlando Sentinel*. The Sheriff's Office has cited an Order entered by Your Honor in the above-referenced case as its authority for destroying the record in violation of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. I am providing you a copy of this correspondence because it is my understanding that the Sheriff's Office did not apprise the Court of the outstanding request for public access to the record when it presented the Order to Your Honor for entry.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure