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Jane-

I thank you for speaking with me this morning regarding the potential applicability of Article 29 of the Colorado Constitution to the Housing Authority of the City and County of Denver ("DHA"). As we discussed, DHA was formed pursuant to the statutory authority of C.R.S. 29-4-201 et seq. DHA is a quasi-municipal corporation that is not part of the state or the city. We are funded largely by HUD and are subject to regulation by HUD. I am trying to determine whether DHA qualifies as a local government and whether DHA employees are considered government employees within the meaning of Article 29. I appreciate your willingness to consider this issue. Please let me know your thoughts and feel free to contact me directly if you need any additional information.

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