

if Respondent develops a stencil to block out personal, confidential information before the W-2s are copies (Pub. Off. L. §89 subdiv. 2.(a) authorizes deletions) and Respondent asserts no (other) sufficient privilege/exemption. The test is not that production of the same information in another, more direct form would be duplicative of information already furnished (though perhaps it should be).

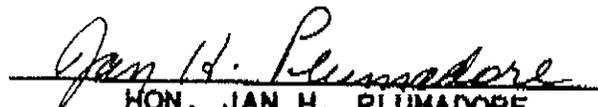
Respondent is under no duty to compile a new list (Matter of Gannett Co. v. County of Monroe, 59 AD2d 309, aff'd 45 NY2d 954; Matter of Gannett Co. v. James, 86 AD2d 744, mot. for leave to appeal denied 56 NY2d 502) or "verify/certify" the one it has already provided (see Pub. Off. L. §87 subdiv. 3.(b)). The provided list (Exhibit O) also breaks down by title the salaries/wages of those who have more than one.

Petition granted as hereinabove set forth with no award of costs.

It is so-ORDERED.

ENTER:

DATED: April 27, 1992
at Chambers, Saranac Lake, New York


HON. JAN H. PLUMADORE
SUPREME COURT JUSTICE