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**Subject:** Cabinet - COVID19 Updates & Clemency Board

Mr. Beaubien,

Regarding the COVID19 Pandemic, the Commissioner of Agriculture is no longer receiving updates from or being invited to participate in briefings by the Executive Office of the Governor. Because the April 2020 Cabinet Meeting was canceled and the severe effects on the citizens of the State of Florida, Commissioner Fried hereby requests, at a minimum, a weekly telephonic meeting of the Cabinet for updates regarding COVID19. Due to the critical roles of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, especially at this time, the Commissioner should be updated frequently to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all Floridians.

Regarding the cancellation of the Clemency Board's April 2020 meeting and current backlog, please have FCOR present options for those applicants on the April agenda to appear as soon as possible telephonically or by video prior to the next hearing date in June. Also, please advise the status of the more than 600 applicants currently eligible for Restoration of Civil Rights Without a Hearing. Commissioner Fried has previously advised FCOR of her standing "Grant" vote on these cases. FCOR simply needs a response from the Governor.

Thank you for your attention in these matters,

K.W.

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