

June 14, 2024

County of DuPage 421 N County Farm Road Wheaton, IL 60187

Re: Deccan International – Sole Source Letter

To Whom It May Concern:

The LiveMUM computer software product that DuPage County has licensed for use from Deccan International is highly proprietary and is considered a trade secret of Deccan International.

No other party is **capable or permitted** to perform the various maintenance duties (i.e. code corrections, product updates, and technical support). There is no outside access to the source code for the product. Deccan International is the sole source for building and maintaining the software application.

Additionally, the software provided by Deccan International would not function as proprietarily designed and built by Deccan International should outside 3rd party staff attempt to modify, support, or alter the software. The software and agency specific configuration work performed by Deccan International uses propriety means, methods and algorithms. Consequently, Deccan International is the sole provider of maintenance and support for all our products.

Should you have any questions, or if we may be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Elson President/CEO