



January 21, 2015

Ms. P. Armstrong
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OR2015-01156

Dear Ms. Armstrong:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Public Information Act (the "Act"), chapter 552 of the Government Code. Your request was assigned ID# 550786 (ORR# 2014-11077).

The Dallas Police Department (the "department") received a request for all executive summaries and recordings of disciplinary hearings held during September 2014. You indicate you have released a portion of the information. You claim the remaining submitted information is excepted from disclosure under section 552.108 of the Government Code. We have considered the exception you claim and reviewed the submitted information.

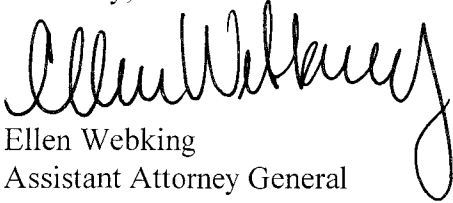
We note the submitted information was the subject of a previous request for information, in response to which this office issued Open Records Letter No. 2014-20751 (2014). In that ruling, we concluded the department may withhold the information at issue under section 552.108(b)(1) of the Government Code. We understand the law, facts, and circumstances on which Open Records Letter No. 2014-20751 was based have not changed. Accordingly, we conclude the department may continue to rely on Open Records Letter No. 2014-20751 for the information at issue as a previous determination and withhold the submitted information in accordance with that ruling. *See* Open Records Decision No. 673 (2001) (so long as law, facts, circumstances on which prior ruling was based have not changed, first type of previous determination exists where requested information is precisely same information as was addressed in prior attorney general ruling, ruling is addressed to

same governmental body, and ruling concludes that information is or is not excepted from disclosure).

This letter ruling is limited to the particular information at issue in this request and limited to the facts as presented to us; therefore, this ruling must not be relied upon as a previous determination regarding any other information or any other circumstances.

This ruling triggers important deadlines regarding the rights and responsibilities of the governmental body and of the requestor. For more information concerning those rights and responsibilities, please visit our website at http://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/open/orl_ruling_info.shtml, or call the Office of the Attorney General's Open Government Hotline, toll free, at (877) 673-6839. Questions concerning the allowable charges for providing public information under the Act may be directed to the Office of the Attorney General, toll free, at (888) 672-6787.

Sincerely,



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Enc. Submitted documents

c: Requestor
(w/o enclosures)