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Mr. Zachary Noblitt
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OR2015-07850

Dear Mr. Noblitt:

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# 562540.

The City of Dallas (the "city") received a request for information pertaining to a specified case. We understand the city has released some responsive information to the requestor. You claim the submitted information is excepted from disclosure under section 552.107 of the Government Code or privileged under Texas Rule of Evidence 503. We have considered your arguments 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. 2015-03192 (2015). In Open Records Letter No. 2015-03192, we determined the city may withhold the completed report under Texas Rule of Evidence 503 and the memoranda under section 552.107 of the Government Code. We have no indication the law, facts, or circumstances on which the prior ruling was based have changed. Accordingly, the city may continue to rely on Open Records Letter No. 2015-03192 as a previous determination and withhold the submitted information in accordance with that ruling.¹ See Open Records Decision No. 673 at 6-7 (2001) (discussing criteria for first type of previous determination).

¹As our ruling is dispositive, we do not address your arguments to withhold this information.

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)