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Dear Mr. Behnke:

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# 760280 (ORR 049-19).

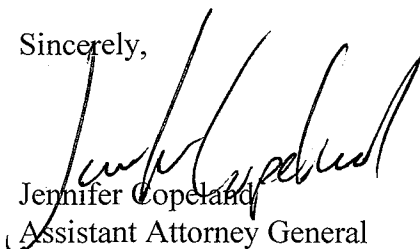
The Office of the Governor (the "governor's office") received a request for communications sent to or from the Office of Economic Development and Tourism pertaining to "Census tracts" during a specified time period. You state you will release some of the requested information. Although you take no position as to whether the submitted information is excepted under the Act, you state release of the submitted information may implicate the interests of the City of Big Spring, the City of Dallas, the City of Houston, the City of Lockhart, the City of Lubbock, and the City of Mineral Wells. Accordingly, you state the governor's office notified these cities of the request for information and of their right to submit arguments to this office as to why the submitted information should not be released. *See Gov't Code § 552.304* (interested party may submit comments stating why information should or should not be released). We have reviewed the submitted information.

As of the date of this letter, we have not received comments from the City of Big Spring, the City of Dallas, the City of Houston, the City of Lockhart, the City of Lubbock, or the City of Mineral Wells. As no exceptions to disclosure have been raised, the governor's office must release the submitted 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)

6 Third Parties
(w/o enclosures)