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OR2020-10719

Re: Request for (APD Requests 20-278 and 20-730).

Dear Mr. McMillian:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 821391.

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted information, we have determined your request does not present a novel or complex issue.¹ Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. You claim the submitted information may be withheld from the requestors pursuant to section 552.108(a)(1) of the Government Code. Upon review of your arguments and the submitted information, we conclude you may withhold the submitted information under section 552.108(a)(1). However, as you acknowledge, you must release the basic information pursuant to section 552.108(c) of the Government Code.

¹We note the Amarillo Police Department (the "department") received initial requests for the same information from these two requestors on January 14, 2020, and January 3, 2020, respectively. In response to the initial requests, the department informs us it released basic information to the requestors within five business days and withheld certain information under section 552.108(a)(1) of the Government Code, pursuant to the previous determination this office issued to the department in Open Records Letter No. 2019-05295 (2019). Subsequently, the requestors each made a second request for the same information on January 29, 2020, and March 10, 2020, respectively.

For more information on the cited exception, please refer to the open government information on our website at <https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/open-government/governmental-bodies/open-records-memorandum-rulings>. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

Enc. Submitted documents

c: 2 Requestors
(w/o enclosures)