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OR2020-15161

Re: Request for report, affidavit regarding terroristic threat, forgery; (ORR P002793-032320)

Dear Mr. Carroll:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 831015 (COO Req. ID# P002793-032320).

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted information, we have determined your request does not present a novel or complex issue. Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. You claim the submitted information may be withheld from the requestor 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.¹

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: Requestor
(w/o enclosures)

¹ We note the City of Odessa (the “city”) has previously asked this office to issue a previous determination permitting the city to withhold information subject to section 552.108(a)(1) of the Government Code without the necessity of requesting a decision from this office. *See* Gov’t Code § 552.301(a) (allowing governmental body to withhold information subject to previous determination); Open Records Decision No. 673 (2001). We note a previous determination has been recently issued by this office to the city and refer you to Open Records Letter No. 2020-[File# 828421] (2020).