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Dear Mr. Knight:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under chapter 552 of the Government Code. Your request was assigned ID# 121169.

The City of Arlington (the "city") received a request for information involving Juan Jose Martinez. You indicate that you have disclosed or will disclose the responsive information, with the exception of a portion thereof which you contend is excepted from public disclosure by section 552.108 of the Government Code. We have considered the exception you claim and have reviewed the documents at issue.

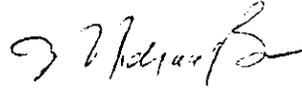
Section 552.108 of the Government Code, reads in pertinent part:

(a) Information held by a law enforcement agency or prosecutor that deals with the detection, investigation, or prosecution of crime is excepted from the requirements of Section 552.021 if:

(1) release of the information would interfere with the detection, investigation, or prosecution of crime;

issue under the facts presented to us in this request and should not be relied upon as a previous determination regarding any other records. If you have questions about this ruling, please contact our office.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael J. Burns". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "M" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Michael J. Burns
Assistant Attorney General
Open Records Division

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Enclosures: Submitted documents; Summary of Open Records Decision
No. 127 (1976)