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Re: Request for the 911 audio tape of the requestor's three conversations with the 911 dispatcher as well as the transcript of the audio tape regarding the accident involving requestor on December 5, 2008, including all media utilized by the City of Houston Emergency Center to record, preserve and memorialize the telephone conversation that was had with HEC dispatchers

Dear Ms. De La Garza:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 337831.

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted information, we have determined that your request does not present a novel or complex issue. Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. You claim that the submitted information may be withheld from the requestor pursuant to section 552.108(a)(1) of the Government Code. We have considered your arguments and the submitted information and have determined that in accordance with section 552.108(a)(1) you may withhold the submitted information.

For more information on the cited exception, as well as information on the rights and obligations of governmental bodies and requestors, please refer to open government information contained on the Office of the Attorney General website at www.oag.state.tx.us. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

Enc: Submitted documents

cc: Requestor
(w/o enclosures)