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OR2010-06444

Re: Request for accident report regarding an incident on 3/23/10 at East Town and Bobtown Road, involving named individual, Claim #43-U546-163, GCA A10-0318

Dear Mr. Mann:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 385084.

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 information marked in red 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 information marked in red. You also claim the information marked in green is excepted from public disclosure pursuant to section 552.130 of the Government Code. We agree you must withhold the information marked in green in accordance with section 552.130.¹

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)

¹You state you have withheld some Texas motor vehicle record information pursuant to Open Records Decision No. 684 (2009), a previous determination to all governmental bodies authorizing them to withhold ten categories of information, including a Texas license plate number under section 552.130 of the Government Code, without the necessity of requesting an attorney general decision. However, Open Records Decision No. 684 does not permit an agency's withholding of the year of a Texas license plate without first asking for an attorney general decision.