



ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS  
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Lieutenant William T. Edmundson  
Record Division  
Pharr Police Department  
1900 South Cage  
Pharr, Texas 78577-6751

OR2010-17725

Dear Lieutenant Edmundson:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Public Information Act (the "Act"), chapter 552 of the Government Code. Your request was assigned ID# 405745.

The Pharr Police Department (the "department") received a request for information involving a named deceased individual. You claim the requested information is excepted from disclosure under section 552.108 of the Government Code. We have considered the exception you claim and reviewed the information you submitted.

We note the submitted information was the subject of a previous request, as a result of which this office issued Open Records Letter No. 2010-13151 (2010). In that ruling, we concluded a crash report must be released pursuant to section 550.065(c)(4) of the Transportation Code and the remaining information may be withheld under section 552.108(a)(1) of the Government Code. You do not indicate there has been any change in the law, facts, and circumstances on which the previous ruling is based. We therefore conclude the department must dispose of the submitted information in accordance with Open Records Letter No. 2010-13151.<sup>1</sup> See Gov't Code § 552.301(a); Open Records Decision No. 673 at 6-7 (2001) (listing elements of first type of previous determination under Gov't Code § 552.301(a)).

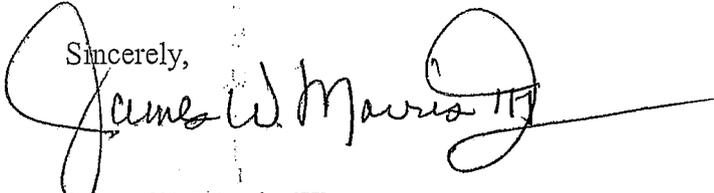
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<sup>1</sup>As we are able to make this determination, we need not address your arguments against disclosure.

This letter ruling is limited to the particular information at issue in this request and limited to the facts as presented to us; therefore, this ruling must not be relied upon as a previous determination regarding any other information or any other circumstances.

This ruling triggers important deadlines regarding the rights and responsibilities of the governmental body and of the requestor. For more information concerning those rights and responsibilities, please visit our website at [http://www.oag.state.tx.us/open/index\\_orl.php](http://www.oag.state.tx.us/open/index_orl.php), or call the Office of the Attorney General's Open Government Hotline, toll free, at (877) 673-6839. Questions concerning the allowable charges for providing public information under the Act must be directed to the Cost Rules Administrator of the Office of the Attorney General, toll free, at (888) 672-6787.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James W. Morris, III". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J" and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

James W. Morris, III  
Assistant Attorney General  
Open Records Division

JWM/em

Ref: ID# 405745

Enc: Submitted information

c: Requestor  
(w/o enclosures)