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Dear Ms. Jones:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Texas Open Records Act, Government Code chapter 552. We assigned your request ID# 22441.

The Waco Police Department received a request for information it has in connection with an application for employment. You say the department has released most of the requested information but is concerned about releasing "criminal history" and drivers license "print outs" obtained through the Texas Crime Information Center ("TCIC"). As the requestor here is the subject of the TCIC information in question, it may be released to him pursuant to section 552.023 of the act. *See* Open Records Decision No. 565 (1990) at 12.

You also seek to withhold certain information in a police report as implicating the privacy interests of the child victim of an alleged sexual offense. We agree that much of the information in the report implicates privacy interests protected under section 552.101 of the act. Moreover, in view of the degree to which the protected information is intertwined with the other information in the report, we conclude that you *must* withhold the entire report. *See* Open Records Decision No. 339 (1982).

Because case law and prior published open records decisions resolve your request, we are resolving this matter with this informal letter ruling rather than with a published open records decision. If you have questions about this ruling, please contact this office.

Yours very truly,

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Enclosures: Submitted documents

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