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ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS

April 15, 2015

Ms. Crystal Koonce  
Open Records  
Williamson County Sheriff's Office  
508 South Rock Street  
Georgetown, Texas 78626

OR2015-07304

Dear Ms. Koonce:

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# 562094.

The Williamson County Sheriff's Office (the "sheriff's office") received a request for five categories of information pertaining to a specified motor vehicle collision. You indicate you will release some information to the requestor. You claim the submitted information is excepted from disclosure under sections 552.101 and 552.130 of the Government Code. We have considered the exceptions you claim and reviewed the submitted information.

Section 552.130 of the Government Code provides information relating to a motor vehicle operator's or driver's license or permit, a motor vehicle title or registration, or a personal identification document issued by an agency of this state or another state or country is excepted from public release. Gov't Code § 552.130(a). You state, and we agree, the submitted video recordings contain motor vehicle record information subject to section 552.130. You also state the sheriff's office lacks the technical capability to redact the motor vehicle record information from the video recordings. Based on this representation, we conclude the sheriff's office must withhold the submitted video recordings in their entireties under section 552.130 of the Government Code.<sup>1</sup> See Open Records

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<sup>1</sup>As our ruling is dispositive for this information, we need not address your remaining argument against its disclosure.

Decision No. 364 (1983). Further, the sheriff's office must withhold the information you have marked in the submitted documents under section 552.130 of the Government Code. As you raise no other exceptions to disclosure for the remaining information, it must be released.

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.texasattorneygeneral.gov/open/orl\\_ruling\\_info.shtml](http://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/open/orl_ruling_info.shtml), 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 may be directed to the Office of the Attorney General, toll free, at (888) 672-6787.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alley Latham", written in a cursive style.

Alley Latham  
Assistant Attorney General  
Open Records Division

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Enc. Submitted documents

c: Requestor  
(w/o enclosures)