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ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS

May 24, 2016

Mr. Thomas M. Gilliland
Media Relations
Harris County Sheriff's Office
1200 Baker Street
Houston, Texas 77002

OR2016-11801

Re: Request for any police photos, autopsy reports, witness statements secured by the Sheriff's office regarding report no. 160055170 involving named individuals; HCSO File No. 14SO6001199

Dear Mr. Gilliland:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 619450.

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 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. However, you must release the basic information pursuant to section 552.108(c) of the Government Code.

For more information on the cited exception, please refer to the open government information on our website at https://www.oag.state.tx.us/open/memorulings.shtml. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

Enc: Submitted documents

c: Requestor
(w/o enclosures)