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Dear Ms. Wood:

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# 615114 (Ref. No. 2016-054).

The Plano Independent School District (the "district"), which you represent, received a request for specified information submitted as responsive by the district in response to a previous request for information. The district claims the submitted information is excepted from disclosure under sections 552.101 and 552.135 of the Government Code. Further, the district states release of the submitted information may implicate the privacy interests of a third party. Accordingly, the district states, and provides documentation showing, it notified the third party of the request for information and of her right to submit arguments to this office as to why the information at issue should not be released. *See* Gov't Code § 552.304 (providing that interested party may submit comments stating why information should or should not be released). We note, as of the date of this ruling, this office has not received comments from the third party. We have considered the exceptions the district claims and reviewed the submitted information.

We note the submitted information was the subject of a previous request for information in response to which this office issued Open Records Letter No. 2016-10653 (2016). In Open Records Letter No. 2016-10653, we ruled the district must withhold the information we marked under section 552.101 of the Government Code in conjunction with common-law privacy and release the remaining information. As we have no indication the law, facts, and

circumstances on which the prior ruling was based has changed, the district must continue to rely on Open Records Letter No. 2016-10653 as a previous determination and withhold or release the submitted information in accordance with that ruling. *See* Open Records Decision No. 673 (2001) (so long as law, facts, and circumstances on which prior ruling was based have not changed, first type of previous determination exists where requested information is precisely same information as was addressed in a prior attorney general ruling, ruling is addressed to same governmental body, and ruling concludes that information is or is not excepted from disclosure). As our ruling is dispositive, we need not address the district's 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.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,



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Enc. Submitted documents

c: Requestor  
(w/o enclosures)