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June 29, 2016

VIA EMAIL:

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Re:

NOTICE OF RESPONSE TO FOIA REQUEST

REQUEST DATE: April 22, 2016
FOIA FILE NO.: P046957

Dear Ms. Hunt:

The Chicago Police Department (CPD) is in receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for:

- "I. For each complaint incident between April 7, 2012 and the date of production, please provide the following data: A. The complaint number, B. The beat number in which the incident took place, C. The address at which the complaint incident took place, D. The location code of the complaint incident, E. The date that the complaint incident took place, F. The time that the complaint incident took place, G. The date that the complaint was received, H. The date that the complaint file/investigation was closed, I. For each Investigator, please provide the following data: 1. The name of the investigator, 2. Unit of Assignment of Investigator on the date of the complaint incident, 3. Star number of the Investigator if applicable, 4. Date of appointment of the Investigator if applicable
- K. For each accused officer in the complaint incident, provide the following data: 1. Name, 2. Employee Number, 3. Star Number, 4. Gender, 5. Race, 6. Year of Birth, 7. Unit of Assignment on the date of the complaint incident, 8. Unit of Assignment on the date of production, 9. Rank on the date of the complaint incident, 10. Rank on the date of production, 11. Date of appointment, 12. For each allegation provide the following data: a) The complaint category code, b) The complaint category description, c) The outcome of the Investigation, d) The recommended discipline, e) The final outcome of the investigation, f) The final discipline imposed
- L. For each witness officer, please provide the following data: 1. Name, 2. Employee Number, 3. Star Number, 4. Gender, 5. Race, 6. Age/ or year of birth, 7. Unit of assignment on the date of complaint incident, 8. Rank on the date of complaint incident, 9. Date of Appointment
- M. For each victim in the complaint incident, provide the following data: 1. Gender, 2. Race, 3. Age/ or year of birth
- N. For each reporting party in the complaint incident, provide the following data: 1. Gender, 2. Race, 3. Age/ or year of birth"

Your request was reviewed by the undersigned as well as the Bureau of Internal Affairs Analytical Section (BIA). It was determined that your request is granted in part. The CPD will provide you with five (5) .xls spreadsheets containing some of the above listed information. However, not all of the information you requested could be captured. Please note the listed information relates to sworn members and not to members who retired as sworn members but were then re-hired as civilians. Statistics for members who retired and were then subsequently re-hired as civilians could not be captured.

As a courtesy, the BIA Analytical Section was able to compile this requested information for your viewing. These records identify the following fields: log number, investigator's name, investigator's rank, investigator's star number, investigator's unit of assignment, date of incident, date of complaint, address of incident, location code, date closed to records, finding and recommended discipline, final finding and discipline, accused officer's name, accused officer's star number, accused officer's appointment date, accused officer's current rank, accused officer's unit of assignment, accused officer's beat, accused officer's year of birth, accused officer's gender, accused officer's race, victim's age, victim's gender, victim's race, complaint disposition, complaint discipline, witness name, witness gender, witness race, witness star number, witness birth year, and witness date appointed.

Additionally, you are requesting that the above information be furnished in an electronic format such as Excel. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/6(g) which provides "when a person requests a copy of a record maintained in an electronic format, the public body shall furnish it in the electronic format specified by the requester, if feasible. If it not feasible to furnish the public records in specific electronic format, then the public body shall furnish it in the format in which it is maintained by the public body, or in paper format at the option of the requester."

Please note that on May 27, 2015, Judge Peter Flynn of the Cook County Circuit Court, Chancery Division enjoined the City of Chicago from releasing any Complaint Register (CR) files older than four years until further order from the trial court (Judge Flynn) or the appellate court. The FOIA exempts from release "information specifically prohibited form disclosure by a federal of state law or rules and regulations adopted under federal or state law 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(a). Therefore, CR data that is older than four years from the date of the request is precluded from release per Judge Flynn's ruling.

Your copy of the .xls files are included.

If I can be of further assistance, you may contact me at (312)745-5308, or by mail at the below address:

Chicago Police Department Attention: Freedom of Information Officer Office of Legal Affairs Unit 114 3510 S. Michigan Ave Chicago, IL 60653

Sincerely,

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