


Message History (18)

 On 4/5/2024 3:53:55 PM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

Subject: [Records Center] Data Concierge Service :: C013464-112023

Body:

RE: PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST November 20, 2023, Reference # C013464-112023

Dear Aparna Komarla,

This letter is in response to your Public Records Act request dated November 20, 2023 and the follow up correspondence dated March 12, 2024.

The CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) is denying your request for additional information as that information, when combined with the other data elements provided, can easily lead to the re-identification of offenders and reveal the basis for each individual's exclusion creating the safety and security problems that CDCR is trying to avoid. By your response on March 12, 2024, you have clearly indicated that you are attempting to discover who has been excluded and why.

As such, CDCR will neither provide any information in regard to the exclusionary criteria used pursuant to Government Code section 7922.000, nor will CDCR provide any information pertaining to who was specifically excluded.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you can manage your request through the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL.

Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski
Information Technology Supervisor II
CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

 On 3/19/2024 12:43:23 PM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

Hello Mr. Langowski,

I'm following up on the data definitions and data clarification request I sent you last Tuesday (3/12). I hope to hear from you soon.

Thanks,

Aparna

← On 3/12/2024 5:06:04 PM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

TO: "CDCR Public Records"[californiacdcr@govqa.us]

Hello Mr. Langowski,

Thank you for your response.

I understand that it is tedious to explain what redactions have been made and their statutory bases. However, without basic definitions that logically state who is included, who is excluded, and why, it is challenging to perform meaningful analyses on the datasets. To give you an example, an individual I teach at San Quentin State Prison is not in the dataset by name or CDCR# and I do not know why. I checked several other CDCR #s of individuals that I know are incarcerated, and while some of them are present in the list you shared, not all of them are. I would like to receive a clear definitions list at the minimum that explains what exclusions/modifications have been made in the datasets provided and why. An exclusion may be an individual (adult/juvenile) in CDCR custody that has been removed from the dataset for ANY reason. Further, a modification may be a change to ANY information about an individual. For example, it seems to me that some CDCR#s in the dataset are hashed (given a unique ID across the demographics and commitments files that is distinct from their true CDCR#).

Please let me know if you have any questions and when I can expect to receive a thorough response from you.

Kindly,

Aparna

On Sun, Mar 10, 2024 at 1:08 AM CDCR Public Records wrote:

✉ On 3/10/2024 2:08:11 AM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

Subject: [Records Center] Data Concierge Service :: C013464-112023

Body:

RE: PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST November 20, 2023, Reference # C013464-112023

Dear Aparna Komarla,

This letter is in response to your Public Records Act communication dated February 20, 2024.

The Public Records Act does not require that an agency create a log of redactions and its associated basis for exemption. It is sufficient that CDCR provided to you the statutory bases for the exemptions claimed, which it has done. The California Supreme Court has ruled that what Gov. Code section 7922.000 (formerly section 6255) “does not require, however, is for the agency to go further and describe each of the documents falling within the statutory exemption” and “[t]he case law, as stated, has never approved or even mentioned a public agency's obligation to create a list and description of documents withheld” Haynie v. Superior Ct., 26 Cal. 4th 1061, 1074, 31 P.3d 760 (2001)

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✉ On 3/8/2024 4:51:07 PM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

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A subsequent correspondence will be provided shortly which includes CDCR's response to your clarification questions.

CDCR has provided a list of felon offenders housed in an institution, on temporary release, or in a non-CDCR institution (excluding parolees), per your request. This population is as of December 31, 2023. CDCR has provided three files with the following data elements:

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The CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation has partially denied your request because some of the identified records are exempt from disclosure. As such, the data elements requested have not been included in these data. The applicable exemptions are fully discussed below:

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Pursuant to Government Code sections 7927.705 and 7922.000, Penal Code 290.45, and WIC 827, these data exclude identifying information pertaining to offenders under the age of 18, where disclosure is prohibited by law, and those who CDCR has determined that the release of their information would create an unreasonable risk of danger to themselves.

Please log in to the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL at the following link to retrieve these records.

[Data Concierge Service - C013464-112023](#)

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Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski
Information Technology Supervisor II
CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

↩ On 3/8/2024 3:37:21 PM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

TO: "CDCR Public Records"[californiacdcr@govqa.us]

Hello Mr. Langowski,

Since today is March 8th, I hope to receive the data in addition to the responses to my data clarification questions by the end of the day.

Thank you,

Aparna

On Thu, Feb 29, 2024, 3:08 PM CDCR Public Records wrote:

✉ On 2/29/2024 3:08:10 PM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

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Body:

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These data are still being finalized. I apologize for the delay and we anticipate providing by March 08, 2024.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you can manage your request through the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL.

Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski
Information Technology Supervisor II
CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

🔙 On 2/29/2024 2:51:18 PM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

TO: "CDCR Public Records"[californiacdcr@govqa.us]

Hello Mr. Langowski,

Since today is 2/29, I look forward to receiving the data and responses by the end of the day. Please let me know if there are any changes to the timeline. Thank you.

Kindly,

Aparna

On Tue, Feb 20, 2024, 6:09 PM CDCR Public Records wrote:

✉ On 2/20/2024 6:09:11 PM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

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CDCR anticipates providing you with non-exempt records for this request by February 29, 2024. Additionally, we anticipate providing a response to your questions posed shortly.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you can manage your request through the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL.

Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski
Information Technology Supervisor II

CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

On 2/20/2024 1:36:04 AM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

TO: "CDCR Public Records"[californiacdcr@govqa.us]

Hello Mr. Langowski,

I am following up once again regarding the status of my CPRA request. It has been over a week since I last reached out to you. Please let me know when I can expect to receive the dataset(s).

Kindly,

Aparna

On Sun, Feb 11, 2024 at 11:29 PM Aparna Komarla wrote:

Hello Mr. Langowski,

I am following up on the status of my CPRA request. Please let me know when I can expect to receive the data as well as a response to the clarification questions I raised on Jan. 18th. Thank you.

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Aparna

On Thu, Jan 18, 2024 at 12:18 PM Aparna Komarla wrote:

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I will be making the payment as soon as possible. What is the estimated time it will take to receive the datasets after the payment is confirmed?

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On Thu, Jan 11, 2024 at 3:36 PM CDCR Public Records wrote:

Attachments:

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← On 2/11/2024 11:30:25 PM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

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✉ On 1/30/2024 5:56:51 PM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

Subject: [Records Center] Payment Received on Invoice :: C013464-112023

Body:



California
Department of Corrections
and Rehabilitation

RE: PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST of November 20, 2023, Reference # C013464-112023

Dear Aparna Komarla,

We have received your payment on invoice number INV24-C013464-1

Payment Date	Payment Method	Payment Amount
1/30/2024	Online	\$238.08

for Request Number C013464-112023.

If you are paying the estimate, we will now begin working on gathering documents responsive to your request. Once we have gathered the documents, a final statement of the remaining balance owed will be sent to you. This amount may change from the estimate depending on how much time and labor is actually spent on your request. Full payment is required before we release the records to you.

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To monitor the progress or update this request please log into the [CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL](#)



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Government Code section 7927.70

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Pursuant to Government Code sections 7927.705 and 7922.000, Penal Code 290.45, and WIC 827, these data will exclude identifying information pertaining to offenders under the age of 18, where disclosure is prohibited by law, and those who CDCR has determined that the release of their information would create an unreasonable risk of danger to themselves.

An invoice with itemized costs is attached. To pay electronically with a debit/credit card (Visa, MasterCard, and Discover) through the CDCR Public Records Portal choose "My Request Center" and then choose "View My Invoices". Log in when prompted and then choose "Make Payment". Please note that there is a non-refundable 2.3% transaction fee associated with each debit/credit card payment.

Please make checks or money orders payable to "California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation". Please also include reference to the "PRA No. C013464-112023" in the appropriate section of the check or money order.

Please mail checks or money orders to:

CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
ATTN: CDCR-ASB-Rancho Cucamonga
P.O. Box 6000
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91279-6000

Records will be provided promptly upon payment.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you can manage your request through the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL.

Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski
Information Technology Supervisor II
CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

✉ On 12/14/2023 9:16:28 AM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

Subject: [Records Center] Data Concierge Service :: C013464-112023

Body:

RE: PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST November 20, 2023, Reference # C013464-112023

Dear Aparna Komarla,

This letter is in response to your Public Records Act request dated November 20, 2023 in which you requested the following records:

"1. Scope

All individuals currently in CDCR custody, including the state prisons, fire camps, community re-entry programs, etc. Essentially, any individual currently in the CDCR system in any capacity and prosecuted by any county or location in the State of California.

2. Datasets

Please provide datasets on the: (a). current commitments, (b). prior commitments and (c). demographics, of all the individuals who fall under the scope described above.

(a). Current commitments

Variables include:

'CDCR #', 'Sentencing County', 'Case Number', 'Sentence From Abstract of Judgement', 'Offense', 'Offense Description', 'Offense Category', 'In-prison', 'Offense Begin Date', 'Offense End Date', 'Offense Time with Enhancement', 'Relationship', 'Enhancements'

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Further details:

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(c). Demographics

Variables include: 'CDCR #', 'Name', 'Birthday', 'Ethnicity', 'Gender', 'Controlling Offense', 'Description', 'Offense Begin Date', 'Offense End Date', 'Controlling Case Number', 'Controlling Case Sentencing County', 'Sentence Type', 'Aggregate Sentence in Months', 'Offense Category', 'EPRD/MEPD', 'Current Location', 'Current Classification Score', 'Current Security Level', 'Classification Score 5 Years Ago', 'Sex Registrant', 'Mental Health Level of Care', 'CSRA', 'DPPV Disability - Mobility', 'DPPV Disability - Hearing', 'DPPV Disability - Vision', 'DPPV Disability - Speech'

CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation has identified public records responsive to your request. As such, we anticipate providing a finalized cost/determination letter and corresponding invoice shortly.

The CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation is partially denying your request because some of the identified records are exempt from disclosure. The applicable exemptions are fully discussed below:

Code of Federal Regulations title 45, sections 160.103, 164.502(a), 164.508(a)(1), Government Code section 7927.705

Penal Code sections 11075, 11076, and 13102; Government Code section 7927.705

California Code of Regulations title 15, section 3261.2(e); Government Code section 7927.705

Government Code section 7927.700

Please note that CDCR is still reviewing documents that may be responsive to your request, and it is possible that additional documents and/or exemptions will be identified during the review and compilation of these records.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you can manage your request through the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL.

Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski

Information Technology Supervisor II

CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

✉ On 11/30/2023 9:08:56 AM, CDCR Public Records wrote:

Subject: [Records Center] Data Concierge Service :: C013464-112023

Body:

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Your request is under review and a 14-day extension of time is necessary under Government Code Section 7922.535 to determine whether your request seeks copies of disclosable public records in CDCR's possession. The extension of time is necessary due to:

The need for consultation with another agency having substantial interest in the determination of the request or among two or more components of the agency having substantial subject matter interest therein.


The need to compile data, to write programming language or a computer program, or to construct a computer report to extract data.

We expect to provide you with a determination on or before 12/14/2023.

If you have any questions or need additional information, you can manage your request through the CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL.

Sincerely,

Kyle Langowski
Information Technology Supervisor II
CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

 On 11/20/2023 1:49:29 AM, CDCR Public Records wrote:



California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

RE: PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST of 11/20/2023, Reference # C013464-112023

Dear Aparna Komarla,

Thank you for your interest in public records of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR). Your request has been received and is being processed in accordance with the California Public Records Act, Government Code section 7920.000 et seq. Your request was received on November 20, 2023 and given the reference number C013464-112023 for tracking purposes.

Records Requested: 1. Scope

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Your request will be forwarded to the relevant CDCR department(s) to locate the information you seek and to determine the volume and any costs that may be associated with satisfying your request. You will be contacted about the availability and/or provided with copies of the records in question. PLEASE NOTE: The California Public Records Act does not require a governmental body to create new information, to do legal research, or to answer questions.

You can monitor the progress of your request at the link below and you'll receive an email when your request has been completed.

CA Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

To monitor the progress or update this request please log into the [CDCR PUBLIC RECORDS PORTAL](#)



✉ On 11/20/2023 1:49:27 AM, Aparna Komarla wrote:

Request Created on Public Portal