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Good day,

The Ocean County Sheriff's Office received your Open Public Records Act (OPRA) request on or about December 23, 2021. The official Records Custodian, Lt. Adrian Bullock, received your OPRA request on December 23, 2021. Public Law 2020 c. 20 provides that during a period declared pursuant to the laws of this State as a state of emergency, public health emergency, or state of local disaster emergency, the deadlines by which to respond to a request for, or grant or deny access to, a government record under the Open Public Records Act shall not apply.

The following records were requested: Copies of any memorandums of agreement, letters and correspondence with the Township of Lacey and / or the Lacey Township Police Department pertaining to the Township's migration of dispatch to the 700 MHz radio system maintained by the Ocean County Sheriff's Department.

Copies of any polices pertaining to the use of encryption on law enforcement talk groups hosted on the 700 MHz radio system

The following is a line by line response to your requested items.

A. Requested records

I. Copies of any memorandums of agreement, letters and correspondence with the Township of Lacey and / or the Lacey Township Police Department pertaining to the Township's migration of dispatch to the 700 MHz radio system maintained by the Ocean County Sheriff's Department.

II. Copies of any polices pertaining to the use of encryption on law enforcement talk groups hosted on the 700 MHz radio system – I attached whatever I could find SOP (Standard Operating Procedures) regarding 700 Mhz radios

See Attached.



SPECIAL ASSISTANCE/ACCOMMODATIONS available, please call (732) 349-2010 (V/TTD).

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This response is being communicated with you via e-mail as per your request.

If your request for access to a government record has been denied or unfilled within the seven (7) business days required by law, you have a right to challenge the decision by the Ocean County Sheriff's Office to deny access. At your option, you may either institute a proceeding in the Superior Court of New Jersey or file a complaint with the Government Records Council (GRC) by completing the Denial of Access Complaint Form. You may contact the GRC by toll-free telephone at 866-850-0511, by mail at P.O. Box 819, Trenton, NJ, 08625, by e-mail at grc@dca.state.nj.us, or at their web site at www.state.nj.us/grc.

The GRC can also answer other questions about the law. All questions regarding complaints filed in Superior Court should be directed to the Court Clerk in your County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Bullock', written over a light blue horizontal line.

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