

State of New Jersey  
Government Records Request  
Receipt

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Email

Request Number: W69058

Request Status: Filled Closed

Ready Date: September 14, 2012

**Custodian Contact Information**

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**Status of Your Request**

Your request for government records (# W69058) from the Division of Criminal Justice has been reviewed and has been Filled Closed. Detailed information as to the availability of the documents you requested appear below and on following pages as necessary.

The cost and any balance due for this request is shown to the right. Any balance due must be paid in full prior to the release / mailing of the documents.

If you have any questions related to the disposition of this request please contact the Custodian of Records for the Division of Criminal Justice. The contact information is in the column to the right. Please reference your request number in any contact or correspondence.

**Cost Information**

Total Cost: \$0.00

Deposit: \$0.00

Total Amount Paid: \$0.00

Balance Due: \$0.00

**Document Detail**

| Div | Doc # | Doc Name                                                                                                                                                      | Redaction Req | Pages | Legal Size | Electronic Media | Other Cost |
|-----|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-------|------------|------------------|------------|
| CJ  | 0001  | 8/28/2009 letter to Colonel Fuentes of NJ State Police from H. Levine-Sabol re: DCJ subgrant no.: RJAG 1-2-09, Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant | N             | 2     | N          | Y                |            |
| CJ  | 0002  | Grant Application: Attachment 1 - Program Narrative, State of NJ, Justice Assistance Grant, Formula Program                                                   | Y             | 10    | N          | Y                |            |
|     |       | redacted information not relevant to request                                                                                                                  |               |       |            |                  |            |

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| CJ | 0003 | Grant Application: Attachment 2A - Program Allocations List (Budget), State of NJ, Justice Assistance Grant                                                                                                     | Y | 2  | N | Y |  |
|    |      | redacted information not related to request                                                                                                                                                                     |   |    |   |   |  |
| CJ | 0004 | Grant Application: Attachment 2B - Budget Narrative, State of NJ, Justice Assistance Grant, Formula Program                                                                                                     | Y | 4  | N | Y |  |
|    |      | redacted information not relevant to request                                                                                                                                                                    |   |    |   |   |  |
| CJ | 0005 | Grant Application: Attachment 3 - Review Narrative, State of NJ, Justice Assistance Grant, Formula Program                                                                                                      | N | 1  | N | Y |  |
| CJ | 0006 | Grant Application: Attachment 4 - Abstract, State of NJ, Justice Assistance Grant, Formula Program                                                                                                              | N | 1  | N | Y |  |
| CJ | 0007 | NJSP Subgrant documents re: Automated License Plate Reader Technology including budget detail form, budget narrative, application authorization, general conditions, Recovery Act conditions and certifications | N | 38 | N | Y |  |
| CJ | 0008 | Attorney General Directive 2010-5                                                                                                                                                                               | N | 21 | N | Y |  |
| CJ | 0009 | Training materials re: ALPR technology and/or sharing of data                                                                                                                                                   | N |    | N | N |  |
|    |      | Denial: 05.Exception by State Regulation (specify) --- N.J.A.C. 13:1E-3.2(a)(1)                                                                                                                                 |   |    |   |   |  |
| CJ | 0010 | Records of the purchase, sale or other transfer of ALPR data by DCJ                                                                                                                                             | N |    | N | N |  |
|    |      | Denial: 01.Not Made, Maintained, Filed or Received by Division ---                                                                                                                                              |   |    |   |   |  |

You filed an OPRA request with the Department of Law and Public Safety (L&PS), Division of Criminal Justice (DCJ) seeking access to the records indicated below concerning funding and grants regarding automatic license plate recognition technology. As the L&PS Custodian of Records, I am responding on behalf of the Division of Criminal Justice.

DCJ applied for and received an Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) in 2009 from the United States Department of Justice under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009; one portion of that ARRA/JAG grant was a law enforcement initiative for license plate readers for investigations. The New Jersey State Police was the only DCJ subgrantee under the license plate readers for investigations portion of that ARRA/JAG grant. The grant and subgrant documents provided, together with Attorney General Directive 2010-5, respond to paragraphs 1,2, 3 and 6 of your request. Training materials are confidential pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:1E-3.2(a)(1). DCJ does not engage in the purchase, sale or other transfer of ALPR data, so there are no records responsive to that portion of your request.

I will provide you with electronic copies of the 79 pages of redacted records indicated above.

Sincerely,  
Bruce J. Solomon  
L&PS Custodian of Records

Your request for government records (# W69058) is as follows:

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This request for government records is made pursuant to the Open Public Records Act, N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1 et seq. (OPRA), and the common law right of access to public documents, *S. Jersey Publ'g Co. v. New Jersey Exp'way Auth.*, 124 N.J. 478, 487-89 (1991). It seeks records pertaining to all forms of Automatic License Plate Recognition (ALPR) technology, which also may be referred to as Automatic License Plate Readers, or as Automatic Vehicle Identification, Number Plate Recognition, or Car Plate Recognition software, hardware, equipment, units, or systems. Please provide electronic copies of the following records made, maintained, kept on file, or received by your agency from January 1, 2006, to the present: 1. Records of all federal funds sought, received, or managed by your agency in connection with procurement and use of ALPR technology; 2. Records of all police departments and other agencies that received or purchased ALPR technology using funds from grants managed, arranged, or assisted by your agency; 3. All policies, procedures, and other general guidelines set for your agency by federal grant-making agencies, and for police departments and other agencies by your agency, with respect to procurement and use of ALPR technology, and to storage, access and sharing of data scanned with ALPR technology, including but not limited to those governing use of, access to, and auditing of databases, data mining programs, and other computerized management systems into which data from two or more police departments or other agencies is deposited; 4. All training materials relating to procurement and use of ALPR technology, and to storage, access, and sharing of data scanned with ALPR technology; 5. All records of the purchase, sale, or other transfer of ALPR data to any individual or entity; and 6. All ALPR data sharing agreements with any agency of the federal government, including but not limited to memoranda of understanding/agreement between your agency and any division or department of the U.S. Department of Justice, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, and Department of Defense. If you determine that any portions of the requested materials are exempt from disclosure, please redact only that which you believe is exempt and provide the remaining, non-exempt portions. Also, please send me a letter detailing the specific exemption(s) on which each deletion relies. If the cost of copies for this request does not exceed \$50, you may proceed without further approval and send me an invoice with the records. Otherwise, please advise me of the cost before filling the request so that we can discuss arrangements.