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Attachments: LPR agreement - signed 02-10.pdf; LPR agreement signed 05-10.pdf; Duluth Police Department[1].pdf; Mille Lacs 31271[1].pdf; LPR agreement - signed 09-07.pdf; M-0950 Minneapolis PD Master JPA[1].pdf; M-1005 Roseville PD Master JPA[1].pdf; LPR agreement - signed 02-08.pdf; M-0951 St Paul PD Master JPA[1].pdf; LPR agreement - signed 09-07.pdf; state patrol interagency.pdf; washington sheriff jpa[1].pdf; LPR User Guide Version 2 1.doc; Document.pdf; Access Request for BCA LPR Account.pdf

Second documents to arrive, this time from the Minnesota Department of Public Safety.

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From: Newton, Joseph (DPS) [<mailto:joseph.newton@state.mn.us>]
Sent: Thursday, August 09, 2012 2:35 PM
To: Teresa Nelson
Subject: Data Request Response

Ms. Nelson:

Thank you for your data request regarding automatic license plate readers (ALPR). In it you make six separate requests which I shall try to answer individually.

1. All records regarding all federal funds your agency has sought or received if any portion of the funds is for ALPR equipment or systems. ALPR equipment or systems include ALPR units, databases containing ALPR data, and programs used to analyze ALPR data;

The Department received no federal funding so there is no data responsive to this request.

2. All records regarding which police departments or other agencies received or purchased ALPR equipment or systems using funds from grants managed, arranged, or assisted by your office;

The Department did not manage, arrange or assist police departments in purchasing ALPR equipment or systems; there is no data responsive to your request.

3. All records regarding any requirements imposed by federal granting agencies with respect to ALPR equipment or systems, and any records describing any requirements imposed upon state and local police by your agency with respect to ALPR;

Please see attached 12 LPR agreements, the LPR User Guide and Access Form.

4. All records regarding any regional databases, data mining programs or other computerized management systems into which ALPR data from two or more police departments or public safety agencies is deposited, including any training materials, policies, internal guidelines or procedures that govern access to, use of or auditing of said systems, including any federal guidelines or regulations which may be applicable to any such program;

Please see attached LPR User Guide and Patrol General Order.

5. All records regarding the purchase or sale of ALPR data to any entity; and

The Department does not sell, purchase or otherwise share ALPR data to any entities. Therefore, there is no data responsive to this request.

6. All records regarding data sharing agreements that include ALPR data 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, the Federal Aviation Administration and Department of Defense.

There is no data responsive to this request.

Again, thank you for your request. Should you require anything further or if you care to discuss the matter please contact me.

Sincerely,

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