



## ORANGE COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT

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January 2, 2013

Daniel Berger  
NYCLU  
297 Knollwood Road Suite 217  
White Plains, NY 10607

Re: FOIL request  
Automatic License Plate Reader

Dear Mr. Berger,

In reply to your letter dated November 28, 2012 please be advised that this department is in possession of an automatic license plate reader (ALPR). It is used by this department to monitor the driving activities of probationers. It is downloaded with probationer information and delivers notices if Probationers are driving or a vehicle registered in their name comes into contact with the ALPR. Updated supervision rosters are uploaded prior to each field operation. Responses to violations range from administrative reprimand to violations of probation and/or criminal charges being filed depending on the offense and other pertinent factors.

The ALPR was provided to the department free of charge from the state of New York in January of 2007 (letter attached). All the data in the ALPR is confidential case information pertaining to sentenced Probationers and is not subject to FOIL.

Sincerely,

Derek J. Miller  
Probation Director III



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DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES  
Four Tower Place  
Albany, New York 12203-3764  
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January 17, 2007

Ms. Victoria Casey  
Director  
Orange County Probation Department  
County Government Center  
265 Main Street  
Goshen, NY 10924-1699

**RE: Letter of Agreement Regarding Transfer of License Plate Reader**

Dear Ms. Casey:

On October 25, 2006, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services ("DCJS") made an offer to purchase and transfer License Plate Reader equipment ("LPR") to Probation Agencies ("Recipient"). The LPR is to be used in the implementation of crime reduction activities and the apprehension of offenders in local jurisdictions. The Orange County Probation Department was one such agency offered the opportunity to receive said equipment.

As of the date of this letter, DCJS has not received the required signed Letter of Agreement from the Orange County Probation Department accepting this offer.

If your agency intends to accept this offer, please submit the signed Letter of Agreement to DCJS no later than 4:00pm on January 31, 2006. Otherwise, this offer will be deemed as not accepted by the Orange County Probation Department. DCJS will then deploy said LPR equipment to another law enforcement agency of its choosing for crime reduction activities.

Please be advised that LPR equipment is only authorized for use in vehicles owned by a municipality. If you have any questions or are unable to meet the requirements as stated in the Letter of Agreement, please contact Eileen Langer-Smith (518.485.7921) at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Eileen Langer-Smith".

Eileen Langer-Smith  
Criminal Justice Specialist