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RE: Response to Public Records Request

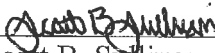
Dear Director Crockford:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of and in response to your July 27, 2018 public records request addressed to the Essex County Sheriff's Department's Public Information Officer, William Raynard. I serve as Assistant Legal Counsel to the Essex County Sheriff's Department.

As you know, you requested records "relating to the Essex County Sheriff's Department's plans for, acquisition of, and/or use of facial-recognition technology," accompanied by eight (8) specifically enumerated requests with respect thereto. In response to your request, I am advised that the Department does not have any documents responsive to your request. Moreover, I am advised that currently, the Department has no plans to acquire and/or utilize facial-recognition technology.

If you have any additional questions or concerns regarding this matter, do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



Scott B. Sullivan

Cc: William Raynard

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