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Kade Crockford
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Re: Public Records request related to the use of facial-recognition products of services

This letter is being sent to you in response to your FOIA request dated 07 March 2019 requesting public records under the Massachusetts Public Records Act § 66-10. This letter is also in response to the follow up review letter we received by the Secretary of State's Office dated 25 March 2019.

The original FOIA request was received in our office on 12 March 2019. Due to a clerical error in processing, page two of your request was omitted in our review. With regards to items 1 through 3 on page one, the Peabody Police does not possess any of the requested records. At this time, our department has not solicited any companies for these types of products. We are currently examining our records to determine whether or not the Peabody Police Department possesses any of the items listed in items 4 through 8 of your request. Due to the above clerical error, we are requesting an extension to ensure all information is presented accurately.

Pursuant to G.L c. 66 s 10 (b), we will be extending the time allotted to complete the review of the request to twenty-five business days. We do not foresee this request taking the full twenty-five business days and it should be done well before then.

Please contact me at 978.538.6354 or email me at ezawacki@peabodypolice.org with any questions, concerns, or if you need any other assistance in regards to this matter.

Respectfully,

Eric M. Zawacki
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Keeper of the Records
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