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Pat McDonald
Records Supervisor
Glendale Heights Police Department
300 Civic Center Plaza
Glendale Heights, IL 60139-6000

RE: Pre-Authorization Request – 2010 PAC 5951

Dear Mr. McDonald:

We have received and reviewed the written notice from the Glendale Heights Police Department (the Department) of its denial to disclose certain information as exempt from disclosure under subsection 7(1)(c) of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*, as amended (FOIA). The Department redacted all dates of birth from Police Report GL09017069.1, except that of the requestor.

The Department's use of the exemption in 7(1)(c) with regard to dates of birth is approved. As such, the Department's partial denial and release of records to [REDACTED] with redactions was appropriate.

Please note that subsection 9.5(b) of FOIA requires public bodies to provide the Public Access Counselor with notice of intent to deny a request in whole or in part prior to asserting the exemption in 7(1)(c). The Public Access Counselor has 5 working days to determine if the assertion of this exemption is appropriate or if further inquiry is required. The time in which the public body must respond to the FOIA request is tolled during this period.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (312) 814-1003. This correspondence shall serve to close this matter.

Sincerely,

Cara Smith
Public Access Counselor

By:

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Assistant Attorney General

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