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STATE OF ILLINOIS

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July 26, 2010

Ms. Beverly Glass
FOIA Officer
Frankfort Police Department
20602 Lincolnway Lane
Frankfort, IL 60423

RE: Pre-Authorization Request – 2010 PAC 8476

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Dear Ms. Glass:

We have received and reviewed the written notice from the Frankfort Police Department (the Department) of its intent to deny disclosure of certain information as exempt from disclosure under Section 7(1)(c) of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*, as amended (FOIA).

The Department's use of the Section 7(1)(c) exemption with regard to dates of birth is **approved**. The information is highly personal by its very nature, and the subjects' right to privacy with respect to this information outweighs any legitimate public interest in obtaining it. Thus, the information is exempt from disclosure under Section 7(1)(c) of FOIA, as disclosure would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy to the subjects of the information.

We are reviewing the Department's request based on an email we received from Ms. Glass on July 14th, 2010 "[r]espectfully requesting permission for DOB redaction." Our correspondence shall serve as the notice to the requestor required under Section 9.5(b) of FOIA, a notice that was absent from the documentation the Department provided.

Should you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at (312) 793-0865. This correspondence shall serve to close this matter.

Sincerely,

Cara Smith
Public Access Counselor

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By: *[Signature]*
Deputy Public Access Counselor

cc: [REDACTED]