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Re: Petition for Public Records Disclosure Order:
Oregon Department of Corrections
DOJ File No. 291011-GA0043-13

Dear Mr. Carter,

This letter is the Attorney General's order in response to your petition asking our office to direct the Oregon Department of Corrections (ODOC) to provide you with certain public records. ORS 192.450 provides that "any person denied the right to inspect or to receive a copy of any public record of a state agency may petition the Attorney General to review the public record to determine if it may be withheld from public inspection." We have spoken to ODOC officials about your petition. We are informed that ODOC has no record of having received a request from you for public records. Because you have not requested public records from ODOC, you have not been "denied the opportunity * * * to receive a copy of any public record." For that reason your petition is respectfully denied.

Sincerely,

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