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Re: Petition for Public Records Disclosure Order
Department of Corrections
DOJ File No.: 291011-GA0100-16

Dear Mr. Carter:

This letter is the Attorney General's order responding to your petition for disclosure under the Oregon Public Records Law, ORS 192.410 to 192.505. Your petition, which we received on July 14, 2016, asks the Attorney General to order the Oregon Department of Corrections (ODOC) to produce various judgments related to you.

We respectfully deny your petition because ODOC has already provided you with any judgments related to you that are in its custody.

The Public Records Law confers a right to inspect any public record of a public body in Oregon, subject to certain express exemptions and limitations. *See* ORS 192.420(1). Any person denied the right to inspect or to receive a copy of a public record of a state agency may petition the Attorney General to review the record to determine if it may be withheld. ORS 192.450(1).

We have spoken with Crystal Archdeacon at ODOC. She told us that on April 16, 2015, ODOC provided you with a copy of the general judgment entered against you on January 29, 2014, in Marion County case number 13C20841. She added that she reviewed your file and cannot find any additional court judgments.

Because we cannot order ODOC to produce records that it does not have, we respectfully deny your petition.

Sincerely,

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