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Re: Petition for Public Records Disclosure Order
Oregon Department of Corrections
DOJ File No.: 291200 GA0154-25

Dear Mr. Nelson:

This letter is the Attorney General's response to your petition for disclosure under the Oregon Public Records Law, ORS 192.311 to 192.478. Your petition stems from a records request made by you to the Oregon Department of Corrections (ODOC) on September 10, 2025. ODOC initially denied your request pursuant to ORS 192.355(5), and you filed your public records petition. After reviewing your petition, ODOC reconsidered its position and provided you with the records you requested. Because ODOC has withdrawn its cited exemption and provided the requested records, we respectfully dismiss your petition as moot.

Sincerely,

BENJAMIN GUTMAN
Interim Deputy Attorney General

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c via email only: Toby Tooley, Records Officer, Oregon Department of Corrections