The City of New York

POLICE DEPARTMENT
LEGAL BUREAU
F.O.I.L. Unit, Room 110C
One Police Plaza
New York, NY 10038

11/10/2009

File # 2009-PL-5299
Your File #

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please be advised that, pursuant to the provisions of N.Y. Public Officers Law § 89(3), the New York City Police Department acknowledges receipt of your request for records dated 11/5/2009.

As your request seeks the disclosure of records that pertain to an accident in which you and/or your client have an interest, it is possible that greater access to such records may be available pursuant to N.Y. Public Officers Law § 66-a than is available under the Freedom of Information Law ("FOIL"). Such access may be obtained by requesting it directly from the NYPD's Accident Investigation Squad. In case you wish to do so, enclosed please find copies of forms PD 301-162 and PD 301-165, which should be completed in accordance with the instructions provided therein and submitted, in duplicate, to the address stated on each form.

In case you nevertheless wish to pursue your request pursuant to FOIL, please be advised that this office estimates that a determination of your request will be reached in approximately 120 days after you confirm to this office, at the above address, that you wish to pursue this request pursuant to FOIL. Otherwise, your FOIL request will be deemed closed in thirty days.

Sincerely,

James Russo
Sergeant