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Dear Sir or Madam:

This is in further response to your letter dated, 11/01/2017 in which you request access to certain records under the New York State Freedom of Information Law ("FOIL").

In regard to the records which you requested, I must deny access to these records on the basis of Public Officers Law Section 87(2)(e) and Public Officers Law 87(2)(a), in that such records consist of Police Officer's personnel records and are therefore exempt from disclosure under the provisions of Civil Rights Law Section 50-a; Public Officers Law Section 87(2)(b) as such information, if disclosed, would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy; Public Officers Law Section 87(2)(g)(iii) as such these records do not represent a final agency determination; Public Officers Law Section 87(2)(g) as such records are inter-agency and/or intra-agency materials; and Public Officers Law Section 87(2)(e)(i) as such records/information, if disclosed would interfere with law enforcement investigations or judicial proceedings.

You may appeal this decision or any portion thereof. Such an appeal must be made in writing, within 30 days of the date of this letter, and must be forwarded to: Sergeant Jordan S. Mazur, Records Access Appeals Officer, New York City Police Department, One Police Plaza, Room 1406, New York, N.Y. 10038. Your appeals may also be submitted via email to [FOILAppeals@NYPD.org](mailto:FOILAppeals@NYPD.org). Please include copies of the FOIL request and this letter with your appeal.

Sincerely,

Richard Mantellino  
Lieutenant  
Records Access Officer

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