

October 12, 2022

Samuel Sinyangwe
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RE: Public Records Request
Sheriff Data Collection Request (2021)

Dear Mr. Sinyangwe:

Our law firm represents the East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office. As such, I write to respond to your recent request for the following:

1. the total number of use of force incidents, separated by type of force and year used in 2021 (for example, information that specifies the number of taser incidents in 2021, baton incidents in 2021, etc.). Please include as part of this a breakdown of how many use of force incidents in each year were related to law enforcement operations and how many were related to correctional/custodial operations.
2. the total number of civilian complaints alleging any form of law enforcement misconduct that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
3. the total number of civilian complaints alleging law enforcement use of excessive force that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
4. the total number of civilian complaints alleging biased policing or racial profiling that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
5. the total number of civilian complaints alleging criminal conduct that were reported and the total number sustained in 2021.
6. the total number of officer involved shootings in 2021, both fatal and non-fatal. We are in the process of gathering the requested materials to respond to this request. However, it will take some time to compile the requested information.

We have documents responsive to this request. Please be advised, however, that you must prepay for copies of these documents. The costs for copies of the available documents are as follows:

Records Search	\$10.00
Miscellaneous	\$2.00
Postage:	\$0.57
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TOTAL	\$12.57

Alternatively, you may review these documents in person at no cost. If you choose to review the documents in person, then please contact Stephani Thorne with my office to schedule same. Otherwise, please forward payment to:

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East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office
Attention: Jennifer Phillips, Accounting
Post Office Box 3277
Baton Rouge, LA 70801
Tax I.D. No. 72-6000356

With kind regards, I remain

Very truly yours,

ERLINGSON BANKS, PLLC

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mary E. Colvin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "M" and "C".

Mary E. Colvin