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To: MuckRock News
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Subject: San Joaquin Delta College Dist. PRA Request Dated 08/06/2021
California 1033 Program Firearms

To Whom it May Concern:

The San Joaquin Delta Community College District Police Department is in receipt of your Public Records Act request dated August 06, 2021, which contains four records requests for information pertaining to weapons that our agency acquired through the 1033 Program of the Department of Defense. Please see below, as we have answered each request inline.

Records Request No. 1: All Documents constituting, reflecting, relating to or that contain current use policies if any for each type of 1033-program controlled equipment, including situations or circumstances in which use is authorized or prohibited.

Response: The District Police Department does not have a policy that specifically addresses the circumstances in which a weapon acquired through the 1033 Program can, or cannot, be used. Because these weapons are firearms, they fall under our standard patrol rifle and firearm policies that all officers are required to follow. Included with this letter, I have attached a copy of our patrol rifle and firearm policies.

Records Request No. 2: Records that list the dates, locations, suspected offense(s) or rationale for operation, controlled equipment deployed, arrests, and uses of force for each deployment of 1033-program controlled equipment since July 1st, 2019, specifically: firearms, armored vehicles, and night vision equipment.

Response: Since July 01, 2019, there have been no incidents where 1033 Program equipment has been deployed, or used to effect an arrest. Although our 1033 Program equipment was in our patrol vehicles, they were used for a very short time, until we could afford to purchase new patrol rifles. Our 1033 Program equipment has never been used in any enforcement, arrest, or use of force action. They are now solely used for training.

Records Request No. 3: All records of complaints regarding the use and impact of 1033-program controlled equipment, including correspondence, visual or audio-visual materials, and responses to complaints.

Response: The District Police Department has never received any complaints regarding the use of 1033 Program weapons and has no information responsive to this request.

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Records Request No. 4: Documents that constitute, reflect, relate to or that contain rationales or criteria for acquisition of 1033-program controlled equipment, prior to its acquisition.

Response: I have attached documentation for the initial acquisition that is responsive to your request.

Thank you for your inquiry.

Very truly yours,

Jim Bock
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