

STATUS OF PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS MADE PURSUANT TO SENATE BILL 1421 & SENATE BILL 16, PEACE OFFICERS: RELEASE OF RECORDS



Pursuant to the request of the Police Commission, the Department provides this monthly update on the status of Public Record Act Requests received relating to Senate Bill 1421, Peace Officers: release of records. This report is a cumulative record of all requests and the production of documents since SB 1421 became effective on January 1, 2019 and is calculated for a month-over-month comparison.

Report: June 14, 2023 Data Run: May 31, 2023

ITEM	SB 1421 REQUEST				
1	PRA REQUESTS	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
1/	Total Number of Public Records Act Requests Received (Cumulative since 1/1/2019) *	334	339	5	
16	Number of Releases**	8,380	8,983	603	
10	Number of PRAs Closed	230	246	16	
2 OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING/DISCHARGE		4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
2/	Total Number of OIS Cases Identified	191	192	1	
21	Number of OIS Cases Released	115	118	3	
20	Number of OIS Pages	61,125	70,778	9,653	
2[Number of OIS Productions in Response to PRAs***	913	997	84	
3	GREAT BODILY INJURY	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
3,4	Number of GBI Cases Identified	111 ¹	122	11	
31	Number of GBI Cases Released	46	55	9	
30	Number of GBI Pages Released	2,626	2,773	147	
31	Number of GBI Productions in Response to PRAs ***	468	518	50	
31	Number of GBI BWC video minutes released****	N/A	267	267	
4 SEXUAL ASSAULT		4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
4/	Number of Sexual Assault Cases Identified	10	10	0	
41	Number of Sexual Assault Cases Released	3	4	1	
40	Number of Sexual Assault Pages Released	462	866	404	
40	Number of Sexual Assault Productions in Response to PRAs ***	18	25	7	

¹ 3 cases on hold pending member consultation with counsel.



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5 DI	SHONESTY	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
5A	Number of Dishonesty Cases Identified	14	15	1	
5B	Number of Dishonesty Cases Released	2	4	2	
5C	Number of Dishonesty Pages Released	260	379	119	
5D	Number of Dishonesty Productions in Response to PRAs ***	16	23	7	
ITEM	SB 16 REQUEST				
6 BI	AS	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
6A	Number of Bias Cases Identified	17	17	0	
6B	Number of Bias Cases Released	5	5	0	
6C	Number of Bias Pages Released	800	800	0	
6D	Number of Bias Productions in Response to PRAs ***	8	8	0	
7 EXCESSIVE FORCE		4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
7A	Number of Excessive Force Cases Identified	18	18	0	
7B	Number of Excessive Force Cases Released	2	3	1	
7C	Number of Excessive Force Pages Released	317	559	242	
7D	Number of Excessive Force Productions in Response to PRAs ***	2	3	1	
8 FA	AILURE TO INTERVENE	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
8A	Number of Failure to Intervene Cases Identified	0	0	0	
8B	Number of Failure to Intervene Cases Released	0	0	0	
8C	Number of Failure to Intervene Pages Released	0	0	0	
8D	Number of Failure to Intervene Productions in Response to PRAs ***	0	0	0	
9 UI	NLAWFUL ARREST	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	
9A	Number of Unlawful Arrest Cases Identified	7	7	0	
9В	Number of Unlawful Arrest Cases Released	1	2	1	
9C	Number of Unlawful Arrest Pages Released	115	357	242	
9D	Number of Unlawful Arrest Productions in Response to PRAs ***	1	2	1	
10 UI	NLAWFUL SEARCH	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE	



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10A	Number of Unlawful Search Cases Identified	15	16	1
10B	Number of Unlawful Search Cases Released	3	4	1
10C	Number of Unlawful Search Pages Released	1,306	1,548	242
10D	Number of Unlawful Search Productions in Response to PRAs ***	4	5	1
11 G	ENERAL PRODUCTION	4/28/23	5/31/23	DIFFERENCE
11 G 11A	Number of Determination Letters Sent	4/28/23 1,356	5/31/23 1,430	DIFFERENCE 74
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11A	Number of Determination Letters Sent	1,356	1,430	74

^{*}A cumulative total of individual Public Records Act Requests received since January 1, 2019. A request may include multiple members and multiple categories outlined under SB 1421 which may result in a large number of documents per individual request.

^{**}Release defined as a production of records and/or a determination letter. Determination letters generally are a response indicating the department has identified records or has no responsive records for one or more categories of disclosure for a specific officer.

^{***}A single PRA may contain requests for multiple categories or multiple officers; therefore, this number is higher than the total number of PRAs.

^{*****}The length of time it takes to produce the final redacted video is approximately 2-3 times the length of the video.

******Case refers to the number of distinct incidents reviewed within the Department's tracking systems for use of force tracking and administrative investigation tracking.