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Dear Ms Sandy

Re: Application for access to South Australia Police (SAPOL) records

In reference to your application made pursuant to the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 1991, access was sought to:

"Documents since 1 January 2018, specifically reports and related AV material (including bodyworn camera and cameras, mobile phone camera, pol air and police vehicle cameras, other video footage captured) relating to people being charged for serious assault police on-duty police officers including those in Protective Services. In relation to video footage, please limit to just those incidents which occurred in either the Northern, Southern, Eastern, Western LSAs. If video footage of more than 10 incidents are captured, please limit footage to just those 10 incidents where video footage is located along with the related incident reports. Please do searches for footage chronologically starting with those in 2018. If different types of footage is captured, please include all footage. Please exclude those where legal action is pending. Please exclude duplicates, documents that have already been released publicly, media reports/articles/statements and correspondence with media. Please note I confirm I am happy to accept edited copies of documents/footage/photos with exempt material redacted/pixilated/cropped."

In response to our letter dated 4 February 2020 you sent an email dated 5 February 2020 confirming your agreement to narrow the scope of your request to:

'a database of all incidents relating to the offence of assault police from 1 January 2018 to 1 January 2020. Further, a random selection of 10 incidents of AV material relevant to assault police where there is no legal action pending.'



In relation to the following part of your request:

"a database of all incidents relating to the offence of assault police from 1 January 2018 to 1 January 2020..."

It is determined to **release in full** data recorded for the offence of Assault Police between 1 January 2018 and 1 January 2020. The data has been presented in a table below and was correct as at 14 February 2020. This determination was made on 4 May 2020.

Occurrence File No	Reported Date	SAPOL 01 Desc	SAPOL 02 Desc	SAPOL 03 Desc	Action Status Desc	ANZSOC Offence Count
SAP0009965047	3/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009970064	1/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009970165	1/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009970365	1/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009970482	1/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009971161	2/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009971187	2/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009971283	2/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009971700	2/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009971780	2/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009972698	3/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009972906	3/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009973369	4/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009974113	4/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009974341	4/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009975425	5/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009976217	6/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009976281	7/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009976315	6/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009976976	7/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009977011	7/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009977303	6/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009977955	8/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009978870	8/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009980477	11/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009980480	11/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP0009980582	11/01/2018	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1

SAP1900295063	16/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	2
SAP1900295847	17/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	2
SAP1900296127	18/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900296147	18/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900296781	18/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900296804	18/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900297917	20/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900298242	20/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900298476	20/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900298736	21/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900301610	24/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900301696	24/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900301770	25/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900302188	25/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900302192	25/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900302264	25/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	2
SAP1900302331	26/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900302387	26/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900304609	29/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
SAP1900305032	29/12/2019	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON	ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	Assault police	Offender arrested	1
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In relation to the following part of your request:

“...Further, a random selection of 10 incidents of AV material relevant to assault police where there is no legal action pending.”

Please note that ten (10) Occurrence Reports that fall within this part of your request were examined and two (2) documents, being Body Worn Videos (BWV) were identified. The documents are numbered and described in the following schedule. The schedule contains the details of the determination in compliance with section 23. In particular, note the grounds on which access has been refused, including the reasons which are contained in the schedule.

SA POLICE - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION UNIT SCHEDULE				
No.	Document Description	Status	Act	Reason
1	BWV footage - Senior Constable Pollard – recorded on 1 January 2018.	Part Release	Clause: 6(1)	The redacted vision (blurred) and audio is the personal affairs (images and voices) of third parties other than Ms Alison Sandy. I have formed the view that disclosure of third party images and voices, in all of the circumstances, would be unreasonable.
2	BWV footage – Sergeant Rogers – recorded on 26 December 2017.	Part Release	Clause: 6(1)	The redacted vision (blurred) and audio is the personal affairs (images and voices) of third parties other than Ms Alison Sandy. I have formed the view that disclosure of third party images and voices, in all of the circumstances, would be unreasonable.
CLAUSES FOR REFUSAL Clause 6(1) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act which states: <i>“A document is an exempt document if it contains matter the disclosure of which would involve the unreasonable disclosure of information concerning the personal affairs of any person (living or dead).”</i>				

In accordance with the requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045, details of your FOI application, and the documents to which you are given access, will be published on the SAPOL website Disclosure Log. A copy of PC045 can be found at https://www.dpc.sa.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0019/20818/PC045-Disclosure-Log-Policy.pdf. If you disagree with publication, please advise the undersigned in writing by **25 June 2020**.

Your rights to review

If you are dissatisfied with the determination for access to SAPOL records, you are entitled to exercise your right of internal review in accordance with section 29(1) of the FOI Act by completing a PD362 Application for Internal Review form which can be downloaded from <https://www.police.sa.gov.au/services-and-events/freedom-of-information> or available upon request at your nearest police station. Alternatively an application may be made in writing to the SAPOL Freedom of Information Unit.

This application must be lodged within 30 days from the date of this determination with a fee of \$36.75. Such a fee may be waived in the event of an exemption being claimed.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tracy Gentgall', is written over the typed name.

Senior Sergeant First Class Tracy Gentgall
Officer in Charge
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION UNIT
(Accredited Freedom of Information Officer)

// June 2020