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DIRECTOR

October 20, 2017

Chief Timothy Johnson
Flint Police Department
210 East Fifth Street
Flint, Michigan 48502

Subject: Case Number 17-09-0157

Dear Chief Johnson:

I am writing to you to express my sincerest apologies to you and your department for not extending the courtesy of notifying you when this office was contacted by the news media regarding this case. I would like to assure you that a policy change has been made to ensure this does not happen again.

The Michigan State Police deeply values our relationship with the Flint Police Department and are committed to providing you with the highest level of service.

We sincerely apologize for any embarrassment or inconvenience this may have caused your agency. Please feel free to contact me at 517-284-0421 should you wish to discuss further.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dawn Brinningstaul".

Dawn Brinningstaul, Director
Criminal Justice Information Center
CJIS Systems Officer

cc: Deputy Chief Devan Bernitter



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October 23, 2017

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Subject: Case Number 17-09-0157

Dear Chief Johnson:

This letter is regarding previous correspondence about a possible misuse of the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN). As the Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Systems Officer for the state of Michigan, I am required to review all allegations of LEIN and/or the National Crime Information Center misuse. I recently reviewed the matter of an alleged LEIN violation that was reported by a citizen, and which is referenced in the above case number.

After evaluating the information submitted by your agency and the recommendation of the staff of LEIN Field Services, I am satisfied that there was no violation of LEIN policy. Therefore, I am returning the materials submitted by your agency, and closing the matter with a finding of no LEIN violation.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Lynette Felton, LEIN Analyst, LEIN Field Services Unit, at 517-284-3103 or FeltonL1@michigan.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dawn Brinningstaull".

Dawn Brinningstaull, Division Director
Criminal Justice Information Center
CJIS Systems Officer

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