

NEW JERSEY GOVERNMENT RECORDS COUNCIL Administrative Complaint Disposition – No Records Responsive Exist

GRC Complaint No.: 2009-27

Complainant: Russell Tinsley

Custodian: New Jersey Department of Corrections and Donna Tymkow

Date of Request: December 18, 2008¹ **Date of Complaint:** December 30, 2008²

Complaint Disposition: The Custodian certifies that she responded to the Complainant in writing within the statutorily mandated response time indicating that no records responsive to the OPRA request exist. Additionally, the Complainant has failed to provide any evidence to contradict the Custodian's certification.

Applicable OPRA Provision: N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1. (Definition of a government record)

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This is the final administrative determination in this matter. Any further review should be pursued in the Appellate Division of the Superior Court of New Jersey within forty-five (45) days. Information about the appeals process can be obtained from the Appellate Division Clerk's Office, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 W. Market St. PO Box 006, Trenton, NJ 08625-0006.

Effective Date of Disposition: February 25, 2009

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Case Manager

Approved By: Catherine Starghill, Esq.

Executive Director

Date: February 18, 2009

¹ The Custodian has certified that she received the Complainant's OPRA request on December 29, 2008.

² The GRC received the Denial of Access Complaint on said date.