



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
William Francis Galvin, Secretary of the Commonwealth
Public Records Division

Manza Arthur
Supervisor of Records

December 20, 2024
SPR24/3391

John Goodwin
Chief of Police
Winthrop Police Department
3 Metcalf Square
Winthrop, MA 02152

Dear Chief Goodwin:

I have received the petition of Hermes Quintero-Durrango appealing the response of the Winthrop Police Department (Department) to a request for public records. See G. L. c. 66, § 10A; see also 950 C.M.R. 32.08(1). On November 14, 2024, Mr. Quintero-Durrango requested copies of two "return warrants" executed on October 12, 2022. On November 29, 2024, the Department provided a response. Unsatisfied with the Department's response, Mr. Quintero-Durrango petitioned this office and this appeal, SPR24/3391, was opened as a result.

It is my understanding that the Department intends on providing a further response to Mr. Quintero-Durrango. Accordingly, the Department is ordered to provide Mr. Quintero-Durrango with said response, in a manner consistent with this order, the Public Records Law and its Regulations within ten business days. A copy of any such response must be provided to this office. It is preferable to send an electronic copy of the response to this office at pre@sec.state.ma.us. Mr. Quintero-Durrango may appeal the substantive nature of the Department's response within ninety days. See 950 C.M.R. 32.08(1).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Manza Arthur".

Manza Arthur
Supervisor of Records

cc: Hermes Quintero-Durrango