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Christopher J. Farrell
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Dear Mr. Farrell,

This letter is in response to your request for records under the California Public Records Act. We are in the process of obtaining the records we have pertaining to Edwin Ramos that you have requested. However you should know that in the City and County of San Francisco the Sheriff's Department does not function as the patrol and arrest agency. That function is performed by the San Francisco Police Department. The Sheriff's Department is primarily responsible for the jails and courtroom security. Therefore the Sheriff's Department would not have the arrest information you have requested, including time, location, factual circumstances of the arrest, and prior arrests. For that information, you would have to contact the San Francisco Police Department or the San Francisco District Attorney's Office.

If you have any questions before we provide records, we have please call Jim Harrigan or me at the above number.

Yours Very Truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Freya A. Horne".

Freya A. Horne
Assistant Legal Counsel