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California Public Records Act Request Government Code § 7920.000 et seq.

October 26, 2023

City of Garden Grove Attn: Traffic Engineering Dept. 11222 Acacia Pkwy

Garden Grove, CA 92840

SENT VIA E-MAIL & SUBMITTED ONLINE:

mmcfarlane@ggcity.org jacintac@ggcity.org

RE: Our Client: Ramon Avila (aka Ramon Avila Ramirez)

Date of Incident: 08/24/23

Garden Grove Police

Department TCR No.: 23049088

Location of Accident: Approximately 12082 Haster Street, Garden Grove,

CA 92840 (approximately 390 feet south of Chapman

Avenue)

Location of Inquiry: Haster Street between Chapman Avenue and

Allard Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92840

Dear Traffic Engineering Department:

I am contacting you from Benchmark Injury Law. We represent Ramon Avila, who was a pedestrian struck by an automobile on August 24, 2023, at approximately 9:00 p.m. at or near 12082 Haster Street, Garden Grove, CA (approximately 390 feet south of Chapman Avenue). A copy of our client's attorney designation is hereto attached.

Under the California Public Records Act, *Government Code* § 7920.000 et seq., I am requesting an opportunity to inspect or obtain copies of the following documents within your custody and control:

- SWITR reports to include a history of all traffic collision accidents with injuries and/or deaths reported from August 24, 2013 through present which occurred on Haster Street between Chapman Avenue and Allard Avenue in Garden Grove, CA 92840.
- SWITR reports to include a history of all pedestrian vs. motor vehicle accidents with injuries and/or deaths reported from August 24, 2013 through present which occurred on Haster Street between Chapman Avenue and Allard Avenue in Garden Grove, CA 92840.

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If there are any fees for searching or copying these records, please inform my office of the cost and we would be happy to send a check. This information is not being sought for commercial purposes.

The California Public Records Act requires a response within ten (10) business days. If access to the records I am requesting will take longer, please contact my office with information about when I might expect copies, or the ability to inspect the requested records.

If you deny any or all of this request, please cite each specific exemption you feel justifies the refusal to release the information, and notify me of the appeal procedures available to me under the law.

Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely, **BENCHMARK INJURY LAW**

Shaun Phillips

SHAUN PHILLIPS, ESQ.

SP:pm Enclosure(s)

BENCHMARK INJURY LAW

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DESIGNATION

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 10 Chapter 5, Subchapter 8, Section 2695.2(c), I, RAMON AVILA, hereby designate BENCHMARK INJURY LAW, to handle, on my behalf, my personal injury claim, including property damage, arising out of a **pedestrian vs.** car accident which occurred on August 24, 2023. This designation shall be valid for a period of two (2) years from the date of execution.

Dated: 2023-09-11 RAMON AVILA



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AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF RECORDS

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You are hereby authorized to permit my attorneys, BENCHMARK INJURY LAW, or their agents, the bearer of this document, to inspect, photostat or obtain copies of any records that relate to, or contain, my personal information including, but not limited to, police reports, traffic collision reports, employment records, medical records, dashcam/bodycam footage, photographs, etc.

DATED: 2023-09-11 SIGNED: RAMON AVILA