

Coles County Sheriff's Office

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Darrell Cox, Sheriff

Kerry Whitley, Chief Deputy

Monday, December 16, 2013

Mr. Kirk Allen PO Box 593 Kansas, IL 61933

Dear Mr. Allen:

Thank you for writing to the Coles County Sheriff's Office with your request for information pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.

On Wednesday, December 11, 2013, you requested the following documents:

 Copy of the cassette recording and a transcript of the conversation when Darrell Cox called to report in sick on March 24, 1995 and spoke with Sergeant John Clough.
 Your request is denied.

Your request is denied for the following reasons: The Sheriff's Office does not have a cassette recording and / or transcript of the conversation in question.

You have the right to have the denial of your request reviewed by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Officer of the Illinois Attorney General. 5 ILCS 140/9.5 (a). You can file your Request Review with the PAC by writing to:

Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, IL 62706

Fax: (217) 782-1396

Email: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

You also have the right to seek judicial review of your denial by filing a lawsuit in the State Circuit Court. 5 ILCS 140/11.

If you choose to file a Request Review with the PAC, you must do so within 60 calendar days of the date of this denial letter. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). Please note that you must include a copy of your original FOIA request and this denial letter when filing a Request for Review with the PAC.

Sincerely,

Salisa A. Dann #134

FOIA Officer

Detective Secretary

Coles County Sheriff's Office