



## **Right-To-Know Response Form**

**April 8, 2016**

Mr. Leo Sokoloski  
Talen Energy  
769B Salem Boulevard  
Berwick, PA 18603  
Via email

RTK REQUEST #16-36

Dear Mr. Sokoloski,

Thank you for writing to Luzerne County with your request for information pursuant to the Pennsylvania Right-To-Know law.

On April 1, 2016, the Luzerne County Office of Law received a request for documents from you described in the attached Right-To-Know request. Your request is partially denied and partially granted for the following reasons pursuant to the Pennsylvania Right to Know Law ("RTKL").

Section 708(b)(18)(i) of the RTKL states "The following are exempt from access by a requestor under this Act...Records or parts of records, except time response logs, pertaining to audio recordings, telephone or radio transmissions received by emergency dispatch personnel, including 911 recordings." §67.708(b)(18)(i). As such, pursuant to the exemption, Luzerne County 911 does not release transcripts of calls, audio recordings of calls or other such information except time response logs absent a court order or subpoena. We have requested that 911 preserve any such information that does exist in the event that a subpoena is obtained.

Attached hereto as a separate pdf are the logs for the date in question for incoming calls to 911 that were transferred to the PSP Shickshinny Barracks.

You have a right to appeal this denial of information in writing to Office of Open Records, Commonwealth Keystone Building, 400 North Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17120.

If you choose to file an appeal you must do so within 15 business days of the mailing date of the agency's response. Section 1101. If you have further questions, please contact me. Please be advised that this correspondence will serve to close this request with our office as permitted by law.

Respectfully,

Shannon Crake Lapsansky, Esq.  
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