



**NEW JERSEY GOVERNMENT RECORDS COUNCIL**  
**Administrative Complaint Disposition – No Records Responsive to the Request Exist**

**GRC Complaint No.:** 2013-46

**Complainant:** Brian Paladino

**Public Agency:** New Jersey Department of Law & Public Safety, Division of Law

**Custodian of Record:** Robert Sanguinetti

**Date of Request:** December 4, 2012

**Date of Complaint:** February 8, 2013<sup>1</sup>

**Complaint Disposition:** The Custodian certifies that he responded to the Complainant's OPRA request in writing within the statutorily mandated response time indicating that no records responsive to the OPRA request exist. Additionally, the Complainant has failed to provide any evidence to contradict the Custodian's certification.

**Applicable OPRA Provision:** OPRA defines a "government record" as any record:

"...that has been made, maintained or kept on file in the course of his or its official business...or that has been received in the course of his or its official business..."  
N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1.

**This is the final administrative determination in this matter. Any further review should be pursued in the Appellate Division of the Superior Court of New Jersey within forty-five (45) days. Information about the appeals process can be obtained from the Appellate Division Clerk's Office, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 W. Market St. PO Box 006, Trenton, NJ 08625-0006.**

**Effective Date of Disposition:** April 30, 2013

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<sup>1</sup> The GRC received the Denial of Access Complaint on said date.