

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL  
Freedom of Information Act Appeal: 2020-067**

January 13, 2020

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Dr. Quentin Jevan Crocheron

RE: FOIA Appeal 2020-067

Dear Dr. Crocheron:

This letter responds to the administrative appeal you submitted to the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, D.C. Official Code § 2-537 (“DC FOIA”), challenging the failure of the Office of Risk Management (“ORM”) to properly respond to your FOIA request. In your request, you sought all “DC MPD employment records, and all records of any and all cases in my name, verified, through background for a period between August 3, 1976 and July 28, 2019.” On January 6, 2020, ORM responded to your FOIA appeal indicating that ORM did not locate any documents responsive to your request. The response further notes that ORM does not maintain MPD employment records and after conducting a search of ORM’s databases, no records were found under Quentin Crocheron or Crocheron<sup>1</sup>.

Your appeal was based on ORM’s failure to timely respond to your public records request under DC FOIA. While ORM failed to provide a timely response to your FOIA request, it has done so in response to notification of your appeal. That response indicates that after a search of ORM’s files, no responsive records were identified. Therefore, we hereby dismiss your appeal as moot.

This constitutes the final decision of this Office in connection with your appeal. If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may commence a civil action against the District of Columbia in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 2-537.

Respectfully,

Mayor’s Office of Legal Counsel

cc: Robert Preston, FOIA Officer  
ORM (via email)

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<sup>1</sup> A copy of ORM’s response to your appeal is attached to this decision.