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Re: Public Records Act Request

Dear Ms. Khan:

This Office has received your request for "vote fraud" cases. I have been out of the office on vacation and in my absence a paralegal should have sent a letter to you notifying you that I would be reviewing your request once I returned, as I am the designated CPRA responder. My first task is to attempt to ascertain your request, because unfortunately I have no idea what the Texas Attorney General's office released. You have asked for information "about cases of voter fraud" and also for a "similar list" related to the Texas list. Your request asks for cases going back to the year 2000.

To begin, you must understand that District Attorney files are exempt from disclosure pursuant to California Government Code §6254(f) [see Rivero v Superior Court, (1997) 54 Cal.App.4th 1048], and they remain exempt even after an investigation/prosecution is closed [see Williams v. Superior Court, (1993) 5 Cal.4th 337]. There is a reason for that; our files contain the investigation of law enforcement agencies and evidence gathered by police as part of a criminal investigation is by its nature confidential. State law also prohibits disclosure of most documents found in a District Attorney's file, and the exemption of

Government Code §6254(k) would therefore apply since it grants exemptions for "records the disclosure of which is exempted or prohibited pursuant to federal or state law."

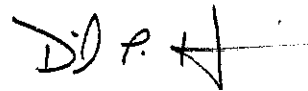
This office has only had three cases that appear to meet your request:

<u>Case #</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Offense Date</u>
1. #1032540	- Gregory McPeters and Roy Mitchell	Elections Code §18600	8/15/2001
2. #1088984	- Trina Stevenson	Elections Code §18101	5/7/2003
3. #1090738	- Mickensey Oliveria	Elections Code §18660	4/14/2002

There are no documents that detail the information you seek, and California law does not require us to create one for you. The above information identifies the court files and from there you may be able to gather the remaining information you seek.

Very truly yours,

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