

REDACTIONS APPLIED

- Driver's license number-R.C. 149.45(A)(1)(C)18 U.S.C. § 2741, Driver's license numbers are considered personal information, exempt from disclosure, pursuant to R.C. 149.45(A)(1)(c), and are further protected from disclosure by the Driver's Privacy Protection Act of 1994. 18 U.S.C. § 2741.
- Officer name- Confidential Law Enforcement Investigatory Records (CLEIRS), pursuant to R.C. 149.43(A)(2)(a)-(d) Records pertain to a law enforcement matter and disclosure would create a high probability of revealing: The identity of an uncharged suspect, R.C. 149.43(A)(2)(a). "Records, documents, and information the release of which is prohibited under [the Victim Privacy Law]" are not "public records." R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(rr). Thus, while the Public Records Act generally provides for the disclosure of public records, the act specifically exempts from disclosure crime victim information that is prohibited from release under the Victim Privacy Law. In other words, because police officers are persons against whom crimes can be committed, they can be victims under Article I, Section 10a of the Ohio Constitution. the Victim Privacy Law requires that case documents "shall be redacted prior to public release pursuant to [the Public Records Act] to remove the name, address, or other identifying information of the victim." *State ex rel. GateHouse Media Ohio Holdings II, Inc. v. Columbus Police Dept*, 2025-Ohio-5243
 - Unit/Car number
 - Badge number-
 - Radio call sign-
 - Police Officer photos-
 - Any complaint numbers-
 - Any IAB numbers-
 - Any partners names-
 - Dates of employment with PD-
 - Military dates-
- LEADS-Information from the Law Enforcement Agencies Database Systems (LEADS), pursuant to O.A.C. 45-1:2-10-06(c)
- Nudity-Ohio R.C.149.43 (A)(1)(ii) Any depiction by photograph, film, videotape, or printed or digital image under either of the following circumstances: (i) The depiction is that of a victim of an offense the release of which would be, to a reasonable person of ordinary sensibilities, an offensive and objectionable intrusion into the victim's expectation of bodily privacy and integrity, (ii) The depiction captures or depicts the victim of a sexually oriented offense, as defined in section [2950.01](#) of the Revised Code, at the actual occurrence of that offense. A person's nude body, unless, subject to division (H)(1) of this section, the person's consent has been obtained RC 149.43 (h). See also R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(ii)(i) and See also *State ex rel. GateHouse Media Ohio Holdings II, Inc. v. Columbus Police Dept*, 2025-Ohio-5243.
- Victim's Rights aka Marsy's Law (name, address, phone number, and family member names), and 149.43(A)(1)(ii)(i) Due to their highly sensitive nature, photos of the victim at the scene of the death have also been withheld. See also *State ex rel. GateHouse Media Ohio Holdings II, Inc. v. Columbus Police Dept*, 2025-Ohio-5243.

- Portions of a body-worn camera or dashboard camera recording that shows, communicates, or discloses any of the following:
 - (1) The image or identity of a child or information that could lead to the identification of a child who is the primary subject of the recording;
 - (7) A person's nude body;

R.C. 149.43(A)(17)(a) and *Columbus Police Body Camera v. Columbus Div. of Police*, 2024-Ohio-569, 2024 Ohio Misc. LEXIS 8 (Ohio Ct. of Claims Jan. 25, 2024)
- SSN-R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(dd) 149.45(A)(1)(a)- *State ex rel. Office of Montgomery County Pub. Defender v. Siroki*, 108 Ohio St.3d 207, 842 N.E.2d 508, 2006-Ohio-662, ¶ 18; R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(dd); and R.C. 149.45(A)(1)(a).
- Flock: images and data captured by an automated license plate recognition system that are maintained in a law enforcement database are redacted pursuant to R.C. 143.43(A)(1)(yy)
- Phone number- Residential and familial information of designated public service workers pursuant to R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(p) and R.C. 149.43(A)(7)-(8)
- Address-Residential and familial information of designated public service workers pursuant to R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(p) and R.C. 149.43(A)(7)-(8)
- Employee ID numbers- 149.433 (2) and (3). Employee ID numbers are not public record, pursuant to R.C. 149.433 (2) and (3).
- LE firearm Serial Number- Law enforcement firearm serial number, pursuant to R.C. 149.433
- CCH- Information from the Computerized Criminal History (CCH) National Crime Information Center (NCIC) systems, pursuant to R.C. 109.57 and O.A.C. 4501:2-10-06(C)
- ATF Records- ATF Trace Reports, pursuant to Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2005, Pub. L. No. 108-477, 118 Stat. 2809, 2859 (2004); Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008, Pub. L. No. 110-161, 121 Stat. 2859 (2004); and *Higgins v. U.S. Dept. of Justice*, 919 F. Supp.2d 131, 144-45 (D.D.C. 2013)
- Autopsy photos & reports- Autopsy photographs, pursuant to R.C. 313.10(D) Information obtained from medical records redacted - R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(a).
- Telephone number of witnesses- Telephone numbers of victims or witnesses to a crime that are listed on a law enforcement record or report, pursuant to R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(mm)
- Personal Email Address- Not a "record" of the office. R.C. 149.011(G) and R.C. 149.43(A)(1); *see also State ex rel. Dispatch Printing Co. v. Johnson*, 106 Ohio St.3d 160, 2005-Ohio-4384, ¶ 25-29
- Account numbers- R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(dd) & 149.45(A)(1)(d), Financial Account Numbers (including bank and credit card account numbers) Pursuant to R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(dd) and R.C. 149.45(A)(1)(d)
- Tax return documents-Federal tax returns and return information withheld. 26 U.S.C. § 6103. State tax return- Records maintained by Ohio Dept. of Taxation and municipal corporations. R.C. 5747.18 and R.C. 718.13
- Employee Beneficiary Information- Not a "record" of the office, includes COBRA information, health insurance, dental/vision insurance R.C. 149.43(A)(1); *see also State ex rel. Fant v. Enright*, 66 Ohio St.3d 186, 188 (1993)
- Non-record information- Information that does not document the activities of the office. R.C. 149.011(G) and R.C. 149.43(A)(1)

- Information and photos obtained from the Ohio Law Enforcement Gateway (OHLEG) database redacted - R.C. 109.57(D)(1)(b).
- FBI numbers redacted - 42 U.S.C. § 3789(g)
- BCI Numbers redacted - R.C. 109.57
- OARRS Report (Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System)- Information from the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System (OARRS) database, redacted or withheld. R.C. 4729.80(c)
- Confidential personal information - Ohio Revised Code Chapter 1347; R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(v).
- Telephone numbers of witnesses and victims contained on a law enforcement record or report – R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(mm).
- Names, Identities or documents that are not responsive to your request, as they may also contain information otherwise exempt from release under R.C. 149.43.
- Records of the past, current, and future work schedule of a designated public service worker. As used in division (A)(1)(uu) of this section, "work schedule" does not include the docket of cases of a court, judge, or magistrate; exempt under R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(uu)
- Ohio Crime Victims' Bill of Rights – Victims' Rights Request form - VRR forms are withheld pursuant to R.C. 2930.04(A)(1)(p).
- Medical Records - Information obtained from medical records redacted - R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(a). Patient's medical history, diagnosis, prognosis, and medical condition are redacted. Non-medical personal information does not fall under "medical records" exemption in R.C. 149.43(A)(1)(a). See 2001 Ohio Atty.Gen.Ops. No. 041; 1999 Ohio Atty.Gen.Ops. No. 006; State ex rel. Natl. Broadcasting Co., Inc. v. Cleveland, 82 Ohio App.3d 202, 214 (8th Dist. 1992).
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