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Assistant Chief Lopez:

As discussed in a May meeting between the Harris County District Attorney's Office Civil Rights Division, the HCDAO Public Corruption Division and the Houston Police Department, our team must review all HPD records related to all confidential informants utilized by officers involved in the Harding Street shooting.

These records pertain, but are not limited, to such matters as the names of informants, locations of buys, payouts to those informants, who approved those payments and who signed off on any operations. This information is crucial to our ongoing review of hundreds of warrants and controlled buys executed by the HPD Narcotics Division and specifically the Goines investigation.

Please be advised unless we receive the requested information by close of business Monday, HPD will be served with grand jury subpoenas on Tuesday, June 25, 2019, for the files possessed by the Houston Police Department related to all confidential informants utilized by HPD Narcotics Squad 15 from January 1, 2014 to the present. As you know, it has been more than six weeks since we requested this material in preparation for possible presentation to a grand jury. We have yet to receive confidential informant information on the specific incident reports requested.

Sincerely,

Natasha Sinclair

Assistant District Attorney

Division Chief Civil Rights