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Mitch Clay  
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Dear Mitch Clay,

LexisNexis® is the creator and sole source vendor of the Desk Officer Reporting System (DORS). No other company, entity, or individual has re-seller or distribution rights to DORS or any of its accompanying documentation.

LexisNexis® designed DORS to gather information on non-violent, no suspect crimes from members of the general public (Users) via a 128 bit encrypted SSL connection. DORS uses the J2EE standard. The system does not rely on cookies or user permissions. The application will issue a temporary report number to the Users and places the temporary report into an administrative holding area for review and modification by the appropriate administrator within your department. An email is generated to the Users once the report has been submitted. The administrator logs into the system via a 128 bit encrypted SSL connection to approve, reject, edit or print reports as appropriate. Rejecting a report deletes it from the system and sends an appropriate email to the citizen. Approving the report issues an official case number that is pulled from an upper-block of reserved case numbers, places it in a queue to be exported, and sends an appropriate email to the user. The administrator can download the approved report or print the report.

DORS is designed to allow the dynamic creation of crime types and incidents within the administrative area. The administrative area allows for the activation of a supplemental reporting system to allow citizens to submit supplemental type reports as well as property lists to the agency. The program is distributed with the ability for the agency to allow citizens to choose several languages including English, Spanish, French, Chinese and Simplified Chinese in which to read instructions and this information is dynamically configurable. The program also allows the agencies to add additional languages of their choosing. The program provides a separate secure filing area and login to allow agency-designated personnel such as loss prevention officers etc. to login and file dynamically created agency report types, such as a shoplifting report, which do not have to be offered to the general public. The LexisNexis Desk Officer Reporting System collects UCR and NIBRS compliant data and, upon agency approval of the submitted reports, will transfer the appropriate values into your records management system (RMS).

There are currently no other off-the-shelf citizen online police reporting systems available with the ability to interface with nearly every RMS, to collect incident reports from the general public and from agency designated personnel who can be provided access to reports not available to the general public, to identify potentially fraudulent reports, to identify duplicate reports, or to identify related reports (such as multi-driver accident reports or multiple reports for the same incident) that can be added as supplements to the previously filed report. No other companies providing citizen online reporting systems can provide hosting facilities that are as secure as those provided by LexisNexis®. LexisNexis® is the only vendor that can apply report sales revenue from its other products to directly offset the cost of

DORS. The LexisNexis® Desk Officer Reporting System has the ability to interface with most records management systems.

If you have any questions or would like clarification on any of these items, please contact us.

Sincerely,

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