

City of Los Angeles, Mayor's Volunteer Corps LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT Use of the Criminal Justice System Agreement



As an employee of the Civilian Volunteer Program of the Los Angeles Police Department, you may have access to confidential criminal record information, which is controlled by statute. Misuse of such information may adversely affect the individuals civil rights and violates the law. Penal Code Sections 11105 and 13300 identify who has access to criminal history information and under what circumstances it may be released. Penal Code Sections 11140-11144 and 13301-13305 prescribe penalties for misuse of criminal history information. Government Code Section 6200 prescribes the felony penalties for misuse of public record and CLETS information. Penal Code Sections 11142 and 13303 state:

Section 11142 (Furnishing by any authorized person to unauthorized person as misdemeanor "Any person authorized by law to receive a record of information obtained from a record who knowingly furnishes the record of information to a person not authorized by law to receive the record of information is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 13303 (unauthorized release of information by employee) "Any employee of the local criminal justice agency who knowingly furnishes a record or information obtained from a record to a person who is not authorized by law to receive the record or information is guilty of a misdemeanor."

No volunteer worker shall divulge confidential information, data, or records of the Los Angeles Police Department to any person to whom issuance of such data, information, or records has not been authorized. Violators will be prosecuted and may additionally be subject to civil legal action by the person who has had their right to privacy violated. Violations may also result in criminal legal action. Any employee who is responsible for such misuse is subject to immediate dismissal.

I have read the above paragraphs and understand the requirements for confidentiality. I will not misuse criminal record information which I may have access to as a volunteer for the Los Angeles Police Department.

Volunteer Name (Please print full	name)
Volunteer Signature	Date