Form 431007
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Acc. # _____

IOWA DOT

REQUEST FOR COPY OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT OF AN ACCIDENT

Request is hereby made for_____ (copy, copies) of the Investigating Officer's report of an accident which occurred on _____ at approximately _____ (A.M., P.M.) in _____
Date Time

County at approximately _____ involving _____
Location Name and Social Security Numbers/Driver License Numbers of driver or drivers involved

My eligibility to obtain this report is based upon the following:

___ I was a party* to the accident *(explain whether you were a driver, owner, passenger, etc.)*

_____

___ I represent the insurance company whose insured was a party to the accident.

_____

___ I am an attorney for a party* to this accident.

I have enclosed _____ for _____ (copy, copies) of this accident ($4.00 per copy).
Amount Number

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

_____
Signature of person making request

_____ _____
Street or RR City and State

On April 21, 2000, the Governor of Iowa signed into law legislation that further limits the release of personal information except as provided by Public Law Number 106-69, Iowa Code section 321.11 and 18 U.S.C. 2721, unless the person whose personal information is requested provides express written consent.

Personal information means information that identifies a person, including a person's photograph, social security number, driver's license number, name, address, telephone number, and medical or disability information.

The 1967 legislature repealed 321.271 of the Iowa Code and enacted in lieu thereof;

--------"All written reports filed by a law enforcement officer as required under section 321.266 shall be made available to any party to an accident, his insurance company or its agent, the party's attorney, the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, or the attorney general on written request to the Department and the payment of a fee of four (4) dollars for each copy. If a copy of an investigating officer's report of a motor vehicle accident filed with the Department is retained by the law enforcement agency of the officer who filed the report, a copy shall be made available to any party to the accident, the party's insurance company or its agent, the party's attorney, the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, or the attorney general, on written request and the payment of a fee. However, the attorney general and the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration shall no be required by the Department or the law enforcement agency to pay a fee for a copy of a report filed by a law enforcement or investigating officer."

* A "party to an accident" is interpreted to include the following:
1. The driver or owner of a vehicle involved in the accident.
2. A passenger riding in a vehicle involved in an accident or a pedestrian involved in the accident.
3. A parent or guardian of a minor involved in the accident.
4. The owner of property damaged in the accident.
5. A person or persons leasing a vehicle which was involved in the accident.

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