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Subject: [OpenRecords] Request FOIL-2018-056-04000 Closed

The New York City Police Department (NYPD) has **denied** your FOIL request [FOIL-2018-056-04000](#) for the following reasons:

- The Freedom of Information Law allows access to existing documents and does not necessitate the creation of a document. I am unable to provide access to these documents on the basis that your request does not reasonably describe a record in a manner that would enable a search to be conducted by the New York City Police Department.

Please visit [FOIL-2018-056-04000](#) to view additional information and take any necessary action. You may appeal the decision to deny access to material that was redacted in part or withheld in entirety by contacting the agency's FOIL Appeals Officer: foilappeals@nypd.org within 30 days.

Request Information:

Request Title: Input Data for Predictive Policing Software

Request Description: Input Data for Predictive Policing Software: any and all records fed into any of the six algorithms used to determine resource allocation at the NYPD for the purposes of training said algorithms and/or generating predictions from said algorithms, beginning on January 1, 2013, or the earliest date on which said algorithms were first deployed, through December 31, 2017.

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