

## Jacqueline Vizcarrondo

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**From:** Colin Cooper [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, January 31, 2021 6:33 PM  
**To:** Chris Sansoe  
**Cc:** Kellin Cooper; Seth Morris  
**Subject:** Re: People v. Timmons and Dillahunty [REDACTED] - Racial Justice Act -PC 745 Discovery

We're not joining in this request, Chris...thanks for updating us.

On Sun, Jan 31, 2021 at 6:07 PM Chris Sansoe [REDACTED] wrote:

Counsel,

I have reviewed Mr. Ashe's request for discovery pursuant to the recently passed Racial Justice Act/ Now Penal Code section 745. I have included co-counsel so they may be aware of the People's position to this request.

To summarize, Mr. Ashe has requested the number of kidnapping for robberies charged by the Contra Costa County District Attorney's Office and what the ethnic/racial breakdown of those charging decisions was.

Mr. Ashe has not given any specific time frame with which this request applies to.

Mr. Ashe is laboring under the impression that this information is available within the District Attorney's Office or that the CCCDAO maintains statistics or information of this type. The CCCDAO does not maintain this type of information. The information is not accessible to me and is not within the type of information maintained by the CCCDAO.

The People will not be providing any discovery under this request. If Counsel wishes to file a formal motion to compel discovery with the court then the People will provide a formal response. Please let me know if you have any further questions or concerns regarding this request.

Thank you,

Chris Sansoe

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Colin Cooper  
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