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RE: Firearms Transaction Records

Dear Mr. Wallace: ^{Jim}

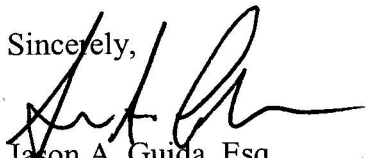
On June 2, 2011, the Massachusetts Firearms Registration and Transfer System (E-FA-10) was successfully released. The internet-based application allows residents of the Commonwealth to submit firearms transfer and registration records electronically from any internet enabled computer.

While E-FA-10 provides a simple, confidential and secure option for recording firearms transactions, there are some residents who wish to continue recording transactions using paper FA-10 forms.

As always, the Firearms Records Bureau (FRB) will continue to provide sequentially numbered, standardized, three-part paper FA-10 forms to police departments for their residents. The FRB has provided a sufficient number of paper FA-10 forms to all non-MIRCS departments and departments in municipalities with limited internet options. All police departments have been asked to contact FRB if the department's supply of paper FA-10 forms has run low. In addition, enclosed please find a supply of paper FA-10 forms for GOAL members who wish to use them.

E-FA-10 and the approved, sequentially numbered FA-10 forms will provide residents of the Commonwealth with two convenient options for complying with the requirements of G.L. c. 140, §§128A and 128B. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 617-660-4701.

Sincerely,


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Director of the Firearms Records Bureau

Cc. James Slater III, Acting Commissioner, DCJIS

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