

Clark County Sheriff's Office

June 2, 2026

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RE: Registration of Automated License Plate Reader System(s) and Certification of Compliance – ESSB 6002, Chapter 239, Laws of 2026

Dear Attorney General Brown:

Clark County Sheriff's Office (the "Agency") submits this letter as formal notice registering its Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) system(s) with your office pursuant to Section 3(5) of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 6002 (ESSB 6002), Chapter 239, Laws of 2026, effective March 30th 2026. This letter also serves as the Agency head certification required under that section.

1. Agency Information

Agency Name: Clark County Sheriff's Office

Agency Type: Sheriff's Office

Jurisdiction: County

Agency Head: John Horch

ALPR Program Contact: Chad Rothenberger, Chief, 564-397-2476,
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Date of This Notice: 06/02/2026

2. ALPR System(s) Subject to Registration

Clark County Sheriff's Office currently operates, or intends to operate, the following ALPR system(s):

Axon Fleet 3

3. Certification of Compliance

Pursuant to Section 3(5)(a) of ESSB 6002, I, John Horch, Sheriff of Clark County Sheriff's Office, hereby certify as follows:

- (a) **Statutory Compliance:** The ALPR system(s) identified in Section 2 of this letter meet all requirements of ESSB 6002, Chapter 239, Laws of 2026.
- (b) The Agency has a written policy governing the use of ALPR systems and proper training documentation as required by ESSB 6002, Chapter 239, Laws of 2026.

4. Requested Action

The Agency respectfully requests the following from your office:

1. Acknowledgment of this letter as a timely notice of intent to register under Section 3(5) of ESSB 6002

2. Transmittal of the approved ALPR registration form(s) referenced in Section 3(5)(a) of ESSB 6002
3. Notification of any stakeholder comment periods, working groups, or other input opportunities associated with the development of the model ALPR policies

The Agency is committed to full compliance with ESSB 6002 and to working constructively with your office to implement it.

Please direct all correspondence related to this matter to:

Chad Rothenberger

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Respectfully submitted,



John Horch

Sheriff

Clark County Sheriff's Office

6.3.2026

Date