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A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the department of investigation's oversight of the police department use of surveillance technology

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Section 14-188 of the administrative code of the city of New York as added by local law number 65 for the year 2020 is amended by adding a new subdivisions g and h to read as follows:

g. Upon request, the department shall provide the commissioner of investigation with prompt access to the following information:

1. an itemized list of all surveillance technologies currently used by the department, including specifications of the functionality of each such technology, the types of data collected by each such technology, and which department unit maintains control of information collected by each such technology;

2. any access and retention policies for data collected by surveillance technologies utilized by the department;

3. any access and retention policies for data collected by surveillance technologies utilized by the department that are included in existing contracts with entities from which the department procures such surveillance technologies.

h. No later than January 15, 2024, and quarterly thereafter, the department shall provide the commissioner of investigation with an list all surveillance technologies that were newly acquired by the department or which the department discontinued using during the prior quarter, and all access and retention

policies for data collected by such surveillance technologies included in any executed contracts with entities form which the department procured such surveillance technology during the prior quarter.

§ 2. This local law takes effect immediately.

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