

ARCS: 292-30 File: FNR-2014-00111

April 8, 2014

Dear

Re: Request for Access to Records
Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA)

I am writing further to your request received by the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations. Your request is for:

A copy of an agreement between Canadian Pacific Railway and a branch of the Ministry, possibly the Council of Forest Industries, for use of a railway crossing at Mile 48.65 of CP's Cascade Division over lands owned by Joseph M. Abram, possibly related to Statutory Right of Way Charge AB7478.

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Although you requested information about Mile 48.65, the Ministry only had records regarding Mile 49.7; however, the Ministry is confident that these records reference the crossing permit you refer to in your request. We note that further to being notified of the above, you confirmed that these records should be considered responsive to your request. These records are provided to you in their entirety.

Please also be advised that there may be records related to this subject matter held by the Council of Forest Industries, the Land Title Office New Westminster, and BC Online. You will need to contact these bodies directly should you wish to inquire about access to those records.

Your file is now closed.

These records will be published on the BC Government's Open Information website a minimum of 72 hours after electronic release or a minimum of five business days after release by mail in hardcopy. To find out more about Open Information, please access the Open Information website at: http://www.openinfo.gov.bc.ca/ibc/index.page

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Fax: 250-387-9843

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Natalie Appleton, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 356-9164. This number can be reached toll-free by calling from Vancouver, 604-660-2421, or from elsewhere in BC, 1-800-663-7867 and asking to be transferred to 250 356-9164.

You have the right to ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review this decision. I have enclosed information on the review and complaint process.

Sincerely,

Kris Ghag, Manager Resource Team

Information Access Operations

Enclosures

How to Request a Review with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner

If you have any questions regarding your request please contact the analyst assigned to your file. The analyst's name and telephone number are listed in the attached letter.

Pursuant to section 52 of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIPPA), you may ask the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review any decision, act, or failure to act with regard to your request under FOIPPA.

Please note that you have 30 business days to file your review with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner. In order to request a review please write to:

Information and Privacy Commissioner PO Box 9038 Stn Prov Govt 4th Floor, 947 Fort Street Victoria BC V8W 9A4 Telephone 250-387-5629 Fax 250-387-1696

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's Office with:

- 1. A copy of your original request;
- 2. A copy of our response; and
- 3. The reasons or grounds upon which you are requesting the review.