



ARCS: 292-30  
File: FNR-2012-00164

July 25, 2012

Sent via email:

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:

*Regarding the transfer of volume from the Bulkley TSA to the Lakes TSA under license A57077: Any document that pertains to the transfer of volume and any document that may indicate a reciprocal agreement would be established once the MPB uplift for the Lakes TSA was completed, specifically documents such as: The license transfer by the ministry approving the transfer of volume to the Lakes TSA; Transfer request by PIR to transfer volume to the Lakes TSA to salvage MPB timber; Documents requesting approval for a haul differential under the interior appraisal manual regarding this transfer; Government communications around the transfer and any discussions referencing a reciprocal transfer from the Lakes back the Bulkley TSA once the MPB salvage in the Lakes TSA has completed; Public, local government and any other correspondence, comments and concerns around the transfer of this volume; Any other document that makes reference to a need to transfer volume back to the Bulkley or other TSA once the salvage of MPB timber in the Lakes was completed.*

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to sections 13 (Policy advice or recommendations) and 22 (Disclosure harmful to personal privacy) of FOIPPA. A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

[http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws\\_new/document/ID/freeside/96165\\_00](http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00)

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Your file is now closed.

These records will be published on the BC Government's Open Information website a minimum of 72 hours after it is released electronically or a minimum of five business days after it has been released 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>

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Sylvia Love, the analyst assigned to your request, at [Sylvia.Love@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Sylvia.Love@gov.bc.ca).

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'K. Ghag', is positioned above the typed name.

Kris Ghag, Manager  
Resource Team  
Information Access Operations

Enclosures

<p>How to Request a Review with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner</p>
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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.