From:

Sime, Mark SSBC:EX

Sent:

Thursday, October 20, 2011 9:47 AM

To:

Learny, Michelle T PREM:EX; Halford, Trevor M PREM:EX

Cc:

Olson, Alisha PREM:EX

Subject:

Call For Records - FOI Request #OOP-2011-00484

Attachments:

Call - Form.doc; Fees - Form.docx

Please see attached/below a formal request made under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA). Your analyst for the attached request will be Mark Sime at 250-387-3411. Please note that this request was also made to PSSG.

Any and all records related to the processing and handling of FOI request OOP-2011-00338.

Please complete the attached Call for Records form and return to your analyst by 07-NOV-11.

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Best regards,

#### Mark Sime

Information Privacy Analyst Information Access Operations - Shared Services BC Ministry of Labour, Citizens' Services and Open Government 548 Michigan Street, Victoria BC V8V 1S2 250.387.3411 <sup>♠</sup> Mark.Sime@gov.bc.ca

# **Information Access Operations**

Call for Records - General

FOI Request Number:	OOP-2011-00338	Applicant Type:	Media
IAO Analyst:	Mark Sime	Received Date:	August 30, 2011
Records Due at IAO:	September 16, 2011	Legislated Due Date:	October 13, 2011

Section 7 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act places a duty on public bodies to respond to formal requests without delay and imposes a time limit of 30 working days from the date the FOI request is received, with certain specific exceptions. In an effort to ensure consistent government practice and in order to comply with current policy, ministries are required to locate and retrieve responsive records and identify potential harms that could result from their disclosure. This form will help guide this process and allow IAO staff to better understand the context of the records and make informed severing recommendations based on potential harms. Once this form has been completed, please forward to the above-noted IAO analyst. If you need assistance to complete this form, please contact your Analyst.

For Ministry Use - please ensure that any issues associated with the possible disclosure of records

responsive to this request have been communicated to your Ministry Executive and/or Public Affairs Bureau Communications Office.			
Search for Records			
Please describe your search for records including what records were searched (i.e. Files, email, databases, TRIM files, off-site records, etc), duration of search time, and who conducted the search for records.	<ul> <li>Electronic files (e-mail, shared drive, individual drives, CLIFF correspondence tracking system)</li> <li>On-site paper files</li> <li>Search time &lt; 3 hours</li> <li>Search conducted by Office of the Premier Executive</li> <li>Branch, Deputy Ministers Office</li> </ul>		
Program Area Recommendations			
Document potential harms* that could result			
from disclosure of records gathered and/or			
any other concerns with disclosure and			
provide disclosure recommendations.			
*NOTE:			
	ne records could significantly harm law enforcement		
matters, relations with other governments, the Ministry's financial or negotiating position, or a			
third party's interests on a given topic. Please specify the types of information of concern and the			
potential harms associated with each type			
Location of Records			
Please indicate here, if you are aware of any			
other public bodies or locations that may			
have records responsive to this request.			
Ministry Program Area:	PREM EXEC, DMO		
Recommendations Completed By:	Mebble Loans		
Date:	045/11		

#### NOTE:

Records are to be forwarded to IAO as soon as possible, but no later than 12 business days from the date of this call for records, except where IAO has advised that the request is cross-government. For cross-government requests, records are to be forwarded to IAO as soon as possible, but no later than 20 business days from the date of this call for records.

## Ministry Support Guidelines for GENERAL FOI Requests

### Preliminary Search for Records and Assessment of Fees:

- If records do not exist within the public body, please advise IAO immediately. The request will be closed or redirected by IAO.
- If some/all records reside within another public body, **please advise IAO immediately** specifying the other public body. The request will be transferred by IAO.
- Complete and submit the attached Fee Estimate Calculation form to assist IAO in determining if it is appropriate to issue a fee estimate for this request.

## **Records Gathering Process:**

- Review records to ensure they are responsive to the request.
- To ensure IAO has a complete understanding of the records provided and their context, the ministry is
  required to identify any areas of concern regarding their disclosure. This will assist IAO analysts in
  assessing any harm contemplated by FOIPPA, and consider the recommendation of any applicable
  exceptions to disclosure.
- Issues management concerning the content of the responsive records is a responsibility of the
  ministry; therefore, issues associated with the possible disclosure of records responsive to this request
  should be communicated directly to your Ministry Executive and/or Public Affairs Bureau
  Communications Office.

#### **Providing Responsive Records to IAO:**

Wherever possible, the ministry is required to send records electronically to the IAO analyst in either
original electronic format or by scanning hard copy records and sending electronically. If volume is
prohibitive for electronic submission, package or disc with scanned documents should be mailed to:

Information Access Operations Ministry of Citizens Services PO Box 9569 Stn Prov Govt Victoria BC, V8W 9K1

Please ensure the responsive records have been reviewed and approved by the applicable program
area.

From:

Sime, Mark SSBC:EX

Sent:

Tuesday, August 30, 2011 1:48 PM

To:

Leamy, Michelle T PREM:EX; Halford, Trevor M PREM:EX

Cc:

Olson, Alisha PREM:EX

Subject:

Call for Records - FOI Request #OOP-2011-00338

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250.387.3411 Mark,Sime@gov,bc.ca

From:

Leamy, Michelle T PREM:EX

Sent:

Wednesday, August 31, 2011 1:20 PM

To:

Olson, Alisha PREM:EX

Subject:

FW: Call for Records - FOI Request #OOP-2011-00338

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### nil response

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From:

Wharf, Sandy PREM:EX

Sent:

Tuesday, September 13, 2011 2:15 PM

To:

Olson, Alisha PREM:EX

Subject:

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Attachments:

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Alisha, I have no responsive records.

From: Leamy, Michelle T PREM:EX

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 1:19 PM **To:** Pink, Linda PREM:EX; Wharf, Sandy PREM:EX

Cc: Olson, Alisha PREM:EX

Subject: FW: Call for Records - FOI Request #OOP-2011-00338

Please let Alisha know if you have any records by September 15. Thx. m

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Best regards,

From:

Pink, Linda PREM:EX

Sent:

Monday, September 19, 2011 12:21 PM

To:

Olson, Alisha PREM.EX

Subject:

RE: Call for Records - FOI Request #OOP-2011-00338

No responsive records.

Linda

From: Leamy, Michelle T PREM:EX

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011 1:19 PM **To:** Pink, Linda PREM:EX; Wharf, Sandy PREM:EX

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From:

Halford, Trevor M PREM:EX

Sent:

Wednesday, October 5, 2011 10:34 AM

To:

Leamy, Michelle T PREM:EX

Cc:

Olson, Alisha PREM:EX

Subject:

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