

ARCS: 292-30 File: MOE-2014-00115

July 24, 2014

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 Environment. Your request is for:

The first version of the report submitted to the Ministry and any subsequent versions received by the Ministry pertaining to the finalized public report entitled Waste to Energy A Technical Review of Municipal Solid Waste Thermal Treatment Practices by Stantec, 2011; All documents, records and communications of any nature between: The Greater Vancouver Regional District, or the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District, or Metro Vancouver any staff and elected officials, including any committee of any of those bodies and the Ministry dated or created between January 1, 2009 and January 28, 2014 inclusive, relating to the aforementioned final report or alternate versions or dated or created between January 1, 2003 and January 28, 2014 inclusive, relating certificates, proposed operating certificates, licenses or permits, and any records relating to review or analysis of monitoring data or investigation of residual materials in or from the existing Burnaby Waste-to-Energy facility.

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Mailing Address: PO Box 9569 Stn Prov Govt Victoria BC V8W 9K1

Website: <u>www.gov.bc.ca/freedomofinformation</u> Telephone: 250-387-1321 Fax: 250-387-9843 Please be advised that the Ministry has determined that no further fees are required for the processing of this request. 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), 15 (Disclosure harmful to law enforcement), 17 (Disclosure harmful to the financial or economic interests of a public body), and 22 (Disclosure harmful to personal privacy) of FOIPPA. A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165_00

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: <u>http://www.openinfo.gov.bc.ca/ibc/index.page</u>

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Rhiânnon Hamdi, the analyst assigned to your request, at (250) 387-1437. 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) 387-1437.

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.