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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:

Data submitted in monthly effluent monitoring reports in 2013 by the facility known as Neucel Specialty Cellulose, Port Alice Mill, operating in Port Alice BC: The daily values (Kg/d) and concentrations (mg/l) of the regulated substances known as biochemical oxygen demand (BOD), Total Suspended Solids (TSS) and Adsorbable Organic Halide (AOX), along with the values of any limits set by the province for these parameters and concentrations of any chlorinated dioxin and furan compounds measured during the period. The possible permit number may be 1240. Date range is January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. These records are provided to you in their entirety. Additionally, the Ministry wishes to advise you that Environment Canada may also hold records related to the subject matter of this request.

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 Debra Graves, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 387-2682. 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 250 387-2682.

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.