



ARCS: 292-30
File: EDU-2012-00104

November 8, 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 Education. On August 21, 2012, you clarified your request as follows:

- The contracts for the following list starting with P.O. number:
 - C12/2191 Polymetrika Inc. for Linking Project;
 - C12/2024 UBC; FDK research;
 - C12/3915 Starfish Ventures; consultation on technology in the classroom;
 - C12/3520 Peter Drescher; advice on Bills 27/28;
 - C12/3914 Bendina Miller; research paper on personalized learning;
 - C13/2057 BCSSA; support for Nov 2012 conference;
 - C12/2051 Society for the Promotion of Social and Academic Success for all students; positive behavior support in B.C. schools;
 - C13/2256 Virtual School Society; for LearnNowBC;
 - C12/3519 BCCIE; prep work for George Abbott's China trip;
 - C12/2047 Audrey Hobbs Johnson; develop a teacher quality framework;
 - C12/3584 Catholic Independent Schools; offshore inspections;
 - C12/3581 Chilliwack Christian School Society; three Korean school inspections; and
- The resulting reports for C12/2024 UBC - FDK research, C12/3914 Bendina Miller - research paper on personalized learning and C12/2047 Audrey Hobbs Johnson - develop a teacher quality framework."

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Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to section(s) 21 (Disclosure harmful to business interests of a third party) 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

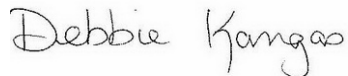
The ministry has informed that there were no reports created as a result of Bendina Miller's contract C12/3914 as the contractor provided verbal advice to ministry executive.

Please note that 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 Hema Paupiah, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 387-1805. This number can be reached toll-free by calling 604 660-7867 from Vancouver or 1 800 663-7867 from elsewhere in BC and asking to be transferred to 250 387-1805.

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,



On behalf of:
Maxine Vanzetta, Manager
Health / Education Team
Information Access Operations

Enclosures

<p style="text-align: center;">How to Request a Review with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner</p>

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
P.O. 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.