



ARCS: 292-30
File: TRA-2014-00229

September 19, 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 Transportation and Infrastructure. Your request is for:

Summary of all flashing red lamp permits issued to private ambulances and industrial ambulance companies in British Columbia - time frame is Sept 3 2007 to Sept 5 2014, include name of company permit was issued to, date of issue, and number of permits issued. Date range is September 3, 2007 to September 5, 2014.

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. These records are provided to you in their entirety. In addition, please note that the Program Area also thought that you would find the following information helpful:

Historically the Commercial Vehicle and Safety Enforcement branch (CVSE) have issued permits for flashing red/white lamps for ambulances, however these permits are no longer a requirement. The correct regulations are provided through the application process by the Ministry of Health, not through the CVSE branch. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Brian Kangas, Manager, Vehicle Inspection and Standards

p: 250-953-4008
e: Brian.Kangas@gov.bc.ca

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>

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Dave Katorynski, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250-952-6353. 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 250-952-6353.

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 black ink, appearing to read "Dave K", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dave Katorynski, FOI Analyst
Business and Infrastructure 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.