



ARCS: 292-30
File: EAO-2014-00063

November 4, 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 Environmental Assessment Office. Your request is for:

Regarding Order in Council 185 and 186 approved on April 11, 2014 amending BC's Reviewable Projects regulation: All records relating to communication including calendar records, emails and other correspondence between Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resources, Ministry of Environment, Environmental Assessment Office, Ministry of Natural Gas Development, Office of the Premier, Government Communications and Public Engagement and Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation with the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers that relate to the amendment of the regulation that culminated in the issuance of OIC 185 or OIC 200 including records relating to communications between CAPP and any of the aforementioned Ministry's Ministerial offices; All background materials, briefing materials and decision notes prepared for Minister Thompson, Minister Polak, Minister Coleman, Minister Rustad, Premier Clark, or any of their respective Deputy Ministers or ADMs that relate to OICs 185, 186, 200 and 201, and/or to the negative public response to OICs 185 and 186 including any materials prepared by the Government Communications and Public Engagement Branch. Date range is May 2013 to [May 7, 2014].

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request.

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Some information has been withheld pursuant to section(s) 12 (Cabinet and local public body confidences), 13 (Policy advice or recommendations), 14 (Legal advice), 16 (Disclosure harmful to intergovernmental relations or negotiations), 17 (Disclosure harmful to the financial or economic interests of a public body), and 21 (Disclosure harmful to business interests of a third party) of FOIPPA. A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

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

Please note some information in the records is marked 'not responsive' as it does not respond to the wording and/or the date range of your 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>

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Andrew Bonneau, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250-387-0965. 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 250-387-0965.

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 blue ink, appearing to read 'Kris Ghag', is positioned above the printed name and title.

Kris Ghag, Manager
Resource 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.