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OIPC File: F19-80322

December 20, 2019

Sent via email:

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 Children and Family Development. Your request is for:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments – sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s), where such a position existed and was staffed. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2019 To 01/31/2019)

You requested a review of the public body's severing decisions with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner (OIPC). The public body has reconsidered previously withheld information pursuant to section(s) 13 (Policy advice or recommendations) of FOIPPA from the records provided to you on July 8, 2019.

Please find enclosed a revised response to your request. Please note that in reviewing the file we discovered 2 records that were omitted and these have been provided to you in their entirety in the sequence they belong. The pages are page 27 and 39. Inserting these 2 additional pages makes pages 45 and 46 that have been reconsidered now for full release pages 47 and 48.

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 five business days after release. To find out more about Open Information, please access the Open Information website at: www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation

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Website:

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Jason Bertucci, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 356-7770. 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 250 356-7770.

Sincerely,

Jason Bertucci, FOI Analyst

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On behalf of Jamie Onciul, Manager

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