

ARCS: 292- 30 File: EGM-2015-52337

October 30, 2015

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 Energy and Mines (Core Review). Your request is for:

Mines Permit and Waste Discharge Permit or other MOE authorization for 1943 Millstream Road operated by Tervita Corporation; Mines Permit and Waste Discharge Permit or other MOE authorization for 4975 Koksilah Road operated by Evans Redi Mix Ltd; Relating to Mines Permit Q-8-094 for 2012 to present: all internal correspondence, notes, memoranda including assessments of MEM staff of proposed amendments to the Amended Mines Act Permit Q-8-094; Relating to South Island Aggregates Quarry Approval 15-1610355-0717: including but not limited to all comments, notes, correspondence, documents generated by Anne Moody Senior Reclamation Officer, MEM Permit amendments and related reclamation permit with MOE. Our request is particularly directed to: • Date range of interest is April 1, 2012 to December 31, 2014; • the work of Ms. Anne Moody in reviewing the draft amendments to the Ministry of Mines Permit and any consideration of reclamation; • the work of other MEM staff in assessing the application of the Mines Code to draft amendments, and in particular any consideration of reclamation by MEM.

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to section(s) 13 (Policy advice or recommendations), 16 (Disclosure harmful to intergovernmental relations or negotiations) and 17 (Disclosure harmful to the financial or economic interests of a public body) of FOIPPA.

Telephone: 250-387-1321 Fax: 250-387-9843 A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00

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 Charlotte Van Schalkwyk, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 356-5055. 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 250 356-5055.

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,

Charlotte Van-Schalkwyk, FOI Analyst 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.