



File: 292-30/FIN-2020-02606

July 17, 2020

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 Finance. Your request is for:

*A detailed breakdown of all expenses filed by the Minister's Senior Ministerial Assistant - where such a position exists and was staffed during the period – for the following public bodies: Mental Health and Addictions; Municipal Affairs and Housing; Public Safety and Solicitor General; Social Development and Poverty Reduction; Tourism, Arts and Culture; and Transportation and Infrastructure (Date Range for Record Search: From 7/1/2019 To 7/31/2019)*

Some information has been withheld pursuant to section 22 (Disclosure harmful to personal privacy) of FOIPPA. A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

[http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165\\_00](http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165_00)

In addition, the following items (where applicable) have been removed as 'Not Responsive' (NR) based on your agreement with Consolidated Intake: credit or debit card numbers (full or partial), supplier codes, employee ID numbers, IDIRs, account numbers, booking numbers, invoice numbers, reservation numbers or codes, seat numbers, frequent flyer numbers or other loyalty/rewards numbers (but excluding the names of the loyalty/rewards programs themselves), Driver's licence numbers, licence plates, hotel information (hotel name/address/identifying information, room number, GST/PST/HST number, confirmation number, folio number, etc.), barcodes or QR codes.

Your file is now closed.

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These records will be published on the BC Government's Open Information website a minimum of ten business days after release. To find out more about Open Information, please access the Open Information website at: [www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation](http://www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation)

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Taran Bhangu, the analyst assigned to your request, at 778 698-4995. 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 778 698-4995.

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 'John Flatman', with a stylized flourish at the end.

John Flatman, Team Lead  
On behalf of Cindy Elbahir, Manager  
Central Agency 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.