

ARCS: 292-30 File: FNR-2015-52494

December 8, 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 Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations. Your request is for:

Call log from Kamloops Command Center and Coastal Fire Center for July 4th, 2015; Printout (as recommended) of Coastal Fire crews available at 12:00 hours July 4th, 2015 and their status or deployment; The raw data of aircraft and initial attack resources available in the Coastal Fire District and their status 12:00, July 4th, 2015; List of Coastal Fire Center staff, Ministry of Forests staff and street hire fire fighters, wardens, patrol people working or on-call 12:00, July 4th, 2015; List of crawler tractors and excavators not actively fighting wildfires that were on contract or available 12:00 hours, July 4th, 2015; List of aircraft being paid to be available for wildfire suppression at 12:00 hours, July 4th, 2015 and their locations; Note or minutes of the Coastal Fire Center Duty Officers log for the period 08:00 hours July 3rd through 16:00 hours, July 10th, 2015. (Date Range for Record Search: From 07/04/2015 To 07/31/2015)

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to section(s) 15 (Disclosure harmful to law enforcement) and 22 (Disclosure harmful to personal privacy) of FOIPPA. 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.

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Telephone: 250-387-1321 Fax: 250-387-9843

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 Debra Graves, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 387-7917. 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 250 387-7917.

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,

Debra Graves

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On behalf of, Ken Bejcek, Manager 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.