

ARCS: 292-30 File: HTH-2020-01392 Your File: FOI 200219a

January 29, 2021

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 Health. Your request is for:

Regarding the Feb. 17, 2020 event in Vancouver Chinatown involving Health Minister Adrian Dix and federal and civic counterparts about coronavirus aka COVID-19, please provide copies of the Event Proposal including Visual Messages, Written Messages, Rollout, Media Plan, Strategic Communications, Media Relations, Q&As and Event Information/Speaking Notes; and correspondence with federal and civic counterparts and ICONNBC about the scheduling and planning of the event. Date range for records search: Feb. 3, 2020 to Feb. 17, 2020.

These records are provided to you in their entirety.

Your file is now closed.

The records located in response to your request will be delivered through the BC Secure File Transfer Service. Separate emails will follow from the BC SFT Notification Service directing you how to set up an account and where to obtain your records.

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: <a href="https://www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation">www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation</a>

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

Website:

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Sindhuja Dasarathi, the analyst assigned to your request, at 236-478-0427. 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 236-478-0427.

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,

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Health / Education 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.