

ARCS: 292-30 File: LDB-2018-86350

October 31, 2018

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 Liquor Distribution Branch. You narrowed your request on September 13, 2018 through conversation and/or email with Kristi Mowers. Your request is for:

For the fiscal years 2016, 2017, and 2018: The number of instances where a transaction involved \$10,000 in equivalent to Canadian currency or more at BC Liquor Stores; The total sums per fiscal year for transactions involving \$10,000 in equivalent to Canadian currency or more at BC Liquor Stores; A spreadsheet detailing each transaction involving \$10,000 in equivalent to Canadian currency or more at BC Liquor Stores, including the dates of the transactions, what was purchased, specific amount paid in the transaction, and any notes made to transaction tracking systems specific to the individual purchases by BC Liquor Store staff at the time of purchase. This is for cash currencies only. (Date Range for Record Search: From 04/01/2015 to 09/04/2018)

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. Copies of these sections of FOIPPA are provided for your reference. A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165 00

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

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Kristi Mowers, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 387-3321. 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 250 387-3321.

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,

Kristi Mowers, Senior Analyst On behalf of Cindy Kukucska, Manager Justice / Social 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.