

ARCS: 292-30 File: MSB-2015-52395

September 21, 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 Small Business and Red Tape Reduction (Liquor Distribution Branch). Your request is for:

Records of meeting minutes and budget documents from the Ministry of Small Business and Red Tape Reduction; Any and all correspondence between the Premier's office and the Ministry of Small Business and Red Tape Reduction. (Date Range for Record Search: From 07/30/2015 to 08/07/2015)

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to sections 13 (Policy advice or recommendations), 15(1)(L) (Disclosure harmful to law enforcement – harm the security of...a computer system) 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

Please note that if you wish to view salaries they can be found in the published 2014/15 Public Accounts at the following link:

http://www.fin.gov.bc.ca/ocg/pa/14_15/CRF%20Detailed%20Scheds%20of%20Payments%2014-15.pdf

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Fax: 250-387-9843

Also, please note that the Ministry's finance department can provide you with current actual budget information if this is of interest to you.

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 me, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250-356-0386. 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 250-356-0386.

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,

Murray McComb, Information & Privacy Analyst Business and Infrastructure Team

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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.