

ARCS: 292-30 File: OOP-2018-81670

Your File: FOI 180307f

Sent via email:

July 4, 2018

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 Office of the Premier. Your request is for:

All correspondence received by the Office of the Premier related to the employer health tax and elimination of Medical Services Plan premiums announced in the 2018 budget. (Date Range for Record Search: From 02/20/2018 To 02/25/2018)

Please find enclosed phase two of your request. Some information has been withheld in the enclosed records pursuant to sections 13 (Policy advice or recommendations) and 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

Some information has been removed pursuant to section 3(Scope of this Act) (j) a record that is available for purchase by the public.

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 Neal Yonson, the analyst assigned to your request, at 778 698-2378. This number can be reached toll-free by calling from

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

Vancouver, $604\ 660\text{-}2421$, or from elsewhere in BC, $1\ 800\ 663\text{-}7867$ and asking to be transferred to $778\ 698\text{-}2378$.

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,

Natalie Appleton, Team Lead

On behalf of Cindy Elbahir, Manager

Central Agency 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.