

ARCS: 292-30 File: PSS-2017-71655

June 28, 2017

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 Public Safety and Solicitor General (Corrections BC). You revised your request on June 12, 2017 through conversation and/or email with Melaina Clark at Corrections BC. Your revised request is for:

Any crisis management exercises developed for the Corrections branch by the Justice Institute for staff training and development purposes over the last 2 years. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2015 To 06/12/2017)

Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to section 15 (Disclosure harmful to law enforcement) of FOIPPA. A complete copy of FOIPPA is available online at:

## http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165\_00

Corrections BC advises that the Justice Institute of BC (JIBC) does not develop the crisis management exercises; they are developed by the correctional centres' Deputy Wardens of Operations. Additionally, the JIBC facilitator advises that incident command system exercise outlines will vary in format and detail depending on the nature of the scenario used. An outline is generally used as a starting point to facilitate the exercise. Once a scenario begins it will

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develop depending on how the event is managed. This aspect of the exercise is not captured in the outline. 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: <a href="http://www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation">www.gov.bc.ca/openinformation</a>

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact Kelly Morita, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250 356-2030. 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 250 356-2030.

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,

Kelly Morita, FOI Specialist for: 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.