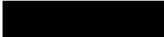


November 24, 2017



Dear ,

Re: Your request for access to information under Part II of the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act, 2015* [File #: EC/38/2017]

On November 10, 2017, Executive Council – Communications and Public Engagement, received your request for access to the following records/information:

“All incoming and outgoing correspondence to and from Brian Scott for the period August 8, 2016 to August 12, 2016 which references the search criteria “International Youth Day”.”

On November 14, 2017, you clarified you were requesting email records of the following individuals:

- Carla Foote
- Scott Barfoot
- Hugh Donnan

I am pleased to inform you that a decision has been made by the Deputy Clerk of Executive Council to provide access to the requested information. In accordance with your request for a copy of the records, the appropriate copies have been enclosed.

You may ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review the processing of your access request, as set out in section 42 of the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (the *Act*). A request to the Commissioner must be made in writing within 15 business days of the date of this letter or within a longer period that may be allowed by the Commissioner.

The address and contact information of the Information and Privacy Commissioner is as follows:

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
2 Canada Drive
P. O. Box 13004, Stn. A
St. John’s, NL. A1B 3V8

Telephone: (709) 729-6309
Toll-Free: 1-877-729-6309
Facsimile: (709) 729-6500

You may also appeal directly to the Supreme Court Trial Division within 15 business days after you receive the decision of the public body, pursuant to section 52 of the *Act*. A copy of sections 42 and 52 of the *Act* has been enclosed for your reference

This letter will be published to the Completed Access to Information Requests website following a 72 hour period after the response is sent to you. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me by telephone at (709)729-5691 or by e-mail at rachellectler@gov.nl.ca.

Sincerely,



Rachelle Cutler
ATIPP Coordinator

Enclosure

Access or correction complaint

42.(1) A person who makes a request under this Act for access to a record or for correction of personal information may file a complaint with the commissioner respecting a decision, act or failure to act of the head of the public body that relates to the request.

(2) A complaint under subsection (1) shall be filed in writing not later than 15 business days

(a) after the applicant is notified of the decision of the head of the public body, or the date of the act or failure to act; or

(b) after the date the head of the public body is considered to have refused the request under subsection 16(2).

(3) A third party informed under section 19 of a decision of the head of a public body to grant access to a record or part of a record in response to a request may file a complaint with the commissioner respecting that decision.

(4) A complaint under subsection (3) shall be filed in writing not later than 15 business days after the third party is informed of the decision of the head of the public body.

(5) The commissioner may allow a longer time period for the filing of a complaint under this section.

(6) A person or third party who has appealed directly to the Trial Division under subsection 52(1) or 53(1) shall not file a complaint with the commissioner.

(7) The commissioner shall refuse to investigate a complaint where an appeal has been commenced in the Trial Division.

(8) A complaint shall not be filed under this section with respect to

(a) a request that is disregarded under section 21;

(b) a decision respecting an extension of time under section 23;

(c) a variation of a procedure under section 24; or

(d) an estimate of costs or a decision not to waive a cost under section 26.

(9) The commissioner shall provide a copy of the complaint to the head of the public body concerned.

Direct appeal to Trial Division by an applicant

52. (1) Where an applicant has made a request to a public body for access to a record or correction of personal information and has not filed a complaint with the commissioner under section 42, the applicant may appeal the decision, act or failure to act of the head of the public body that relates to the request directly to the Trial Division.

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(3) Where an applicant has filed a complaint with the commissioner under section 42 and the commissioner has refused to investigate the complaint, the applicant may commence an appeal in the Trial Division of the decision, act or failure to act of the head of the public body that relates to the request for access to a record or for correction of personal information.

(4) An appeal shall be commenced under subsection (3) not later than 15 business days after the applicant is notified of the commissioner's refusal under subsection 45(2).

From: [Scott, Brian](#)
To: [Donnan, Hugh](#)
Subject: FW: International Youth day release
Date: Friday, August 12, 2016 8:57:29 AM

From: Scaplen, Roger
Sent: Thursday, August 11, 2016 12:23 PM
To: Scott, Brian; Boland, Connie
Subject: RE: International Youth day release

Hi Brian. Here's a quote from our Minister:

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From: Scott, Brian
Sent: Wednesday, August 10, 2016 3:41 PM
To: Scaplen, Roger <RogerScaplen@gov.nl.ca>; Boland, Connie <ConnieBoland@gov.nl.ca>
Subject: International Youth day release

Hi Connie and Roger,

Attached is the release on International Youth Day for quotes from your respective offices.

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From: [Scott, Brian](#)
To: [Releases, News](#)
Cc: [Donnan, Hugh](#); [Barfoot, Scott](#); [Foote, Carla](#); [Quinton, Diana](#)
Subject: RE: News release for approval and distribution: Provincial Government Recognizes International Youth Day
Date: Friday, August 12, 2016 1:05:24 PM
Attachments: NR - International Youth Day.docx

Resending with edits made.

Executive Council
August 12, 2016

Supporting Youth

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From: Quinton, Diana
Sent: Thursday, August 11, 2016 5:00 PM
To: Releases, News
Cc: Scott, Brian; Donnan, Hugh; Barfoot, Scott; Foote, Carla
Subject: News release for approval and distribution: Provincial Government Recognizes International Youth Day

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