February 24, 2014

Dear [Name]:

Re: Your request for access to information under Part II of the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act [WP/1/2014]

On January 29, 2014, the Women’s Policy Office received your request for access to the following record:

“It’s Nobody’s Mandate and Everyone’s Responsibility: Sexual Exploitation and the Sex Trade in Newfoundland and Labrador.”

Please be advised that access to this record has been refused in accordance with the following exceptions to disclosure, as specified in the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the Act):

Disclosure harmful to individual or public safety

26. (1) The head of a public body may refuse to disclose to an applicant information, including personal information about the applicant, where the disclosure could reasonably be expected to
(a) threaten the safety or mental or physical health of a person other than the applicant, or
(b) interfere with public safety

Section 43 of the Act provides that you may ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review this refusal of access or you may appeal the refusal to the Supreme Court Trial Division. A request to the Commissioner shall be made in writing within 60 days of the date of this letter or within a longer period that may be allowed by the Information and Privacy Commissioner.

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

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
34 Pippy Place
P. O. Box 13004, Stn. A
St. John’s NL A1B 3V8
Telephone: (709) 729-6309
Facsimile: (709) 729-6500

In the event that you choose to appeal to the Supreme Court, you must do so within 30 days of the date of this letter. Section 60 of the Act sets out the process to be followed when filing such an appeal.
If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact the ATIPP Coordinator at (709) 729-6225.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Rachelle Cochrane
Deputy Minister
Women’s Policy Office