RE: Your request for access to information under Part II of the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Our File TW/010/2013)

On February 6, 2013, the Department received your request for access to the following records:

Copy of Specific Locations along Provincial Highways (100, 200, 300, 400, 500 series) where auxiliary lanes have been installed at the sole cost of the proponents to accommodate new development.

I am pleased to inform you that your request for access to this information has been granted.

Auxiliary lanes to the Waste Management facilities on New World Island and at Norris Arm were funded by the Central Waste Management Authority. The Waste Management facility near St. Georges will be funded by the Western Authority and construction is expected to take place this year.

I can also advise that, since 2008, applications for access have been received from other developers. Types of development varied from highway services to sub-divisions. Each application was assessed based on the criteria identified in the access policy provided to you previously and, once advised the access would require construction of left turn lanes, the developers decided not to proceed with their development as proposed. If a developer had an existing access and decided to extend on that development, no application for access would be required and no assessment by officials of my department would be conducted.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at 729-3676.

Sincerely,

JAMIE CHPETT
Deputy Minister