June 23, 2017

Dear [Redacted]

Re: Your request for access to information under Part II of the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act [Our File #: SNL-048-2017]

On May 30, 2017, Service NL received your request for access to the following records/information:

"Looking for a simple date. When did Eddie Joyce have the amendments finished based on recommendations of the Building Accessibility Advisory Board. These would include mandatory provincial blue zone fine at a range of $400 - $600. Eddie had stated in the media that these would be voted on this sitting of the house."

Further to your request, officials in Service NL have reviewed your request regarding when amendments based on the recommendations of the Buildings Accessibility Advisory Board were completed and advises that amendments have not been finished. Further to your request, the Buildings Accessibility Regulations under the Buildings Accessibility Act are made by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and any proposed amendments would be subject to Cabinet approval. Parking fines for designated mobility impaired parking spaces are made in accordance with the Designated Mobility Impaired Parking Regulations under the Highway Traffic Act. The Designated Mobility Impaired Parking Regulations are also made by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and any proposed amendments would also be subject to Cabinet approval. Should any amendments to these regulations be approved, they would be published in the Newfoundland and Labrador Gazette and made public on the House of Assembly website.

Please be advised that 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.

Please be advised that this letter will be published following a 72 hour period after it is sent electronically to you or five business days in the case where records are mailed to you. It is the goal to have the letter posted to the Completed Access to Information Requests website within one business day following the applicable period of time. Please note that requests for personal information will not be posted online.

If you have any further questions, please contact me by telephone at 709-729-7437 or by email ellenhaskell@gov.nl.ca.

Sincerely,

ELLEN HASKELL
ATIPP Coordinator