

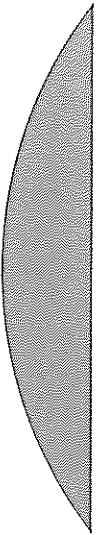


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VIA EMAIL

October 1, 2019

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Dear

Re: Request for Records: BCLC File 19-076

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British Columbia Lottery Corporation (BCLC) writes further to your August 26, 2019 request under B.C.'s *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FIPPA), BCLC's letters dated August 27, 2019, September 6, 2019 and September 19, 2019, as well as your e-mails dated September 11, 2019 and September 19, 2019.

Your original request was for:

"...copies of all documents relating to the background, history, purpose and implementation of the 'facility development commission' and 'accelerated facility development commission' programs."

On September 6, 2019, BCLC provided you with several links to information on this topic that is publicly available.

As a result, you clarified your request via e-mail on September 11, 2019 to be for:

"...internal notes/ memoranda dating back to the time of the implementation of the FDCs/ AFDCs that discuss the intention behind them."

BCLC is providing 15 pages of records in response to your request. Some information has been withheld from disclosure under sections 13, 21 and 22 of FIPPA. Below are the reasons for withholding information under each of the exceptions to disclosure noted.

**Section 13 (policy advice or recommendations)**

The information withheld under this section constitutes advice and recommendations by BCLC staff and others to BCLC decision makers.

**Section 21 (harm to business interests of a third party)**

The information withheld under this section is harmful to third party business interests. It consists of third-party commercial information that was provided, in confidence, to BCLC and disclosure could reasonably be expected to significantly harm the competitive position or the negotiating position of the third parties.

**Section 22 (harm to personal privacy)**

The information withheld under this section consists of the personal information of third parties. It would be an unreasonable invasion of personal privacy if this information was disclosed.

The full text of sections 13, 21 and 22 can be found at:  
[http://www.bclaws.ca/Recon/document/ID/freeside/96165\\_00](http://www.bclaws.ca/Recon/document/ID/freeside/96165_00)

BCLC has exceeded three hours of search time in an effort to assist you and locate the records. As stated in our letter of September 19, 2019, a significant amount of time has passed since the implementation of the FDCs/AFDCs; therefore, these are the responsive records that BCLC has been able to locate within a reasonable time without reviewing to potentially assess a fee estimate.

If these records do not satisfy your information needs, please advise and we will work with you to attempt to refine your request and/or potentially assess a fee.

These records will be published a minimum of five business days after release at:  
<https://corporate.bclc.com/who-we-are/corporate-reports/reports-disclosures.html>

If you have any questions or concerns regarding BCLC's processing of your request, please contact me at [ksimcoe@bclc.com](mailto:ksimcoe@bclc.com), via mail or at (250) 852-5228.

Additionally, under section 52 of FIPPA, you may ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review this reply to your request for information. You have 30 business days from the receipt of this notice to request a review by writing to:

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