



Department of Environment
PO Box 2703, Whitehorse, Yukon, Y1A 2C6

May 25, 2022

Applicant c/o
Access and Privacy Officer,
Corporate Information Management, ATIPP Office

RE: Final Response Access Request #22-172

Decision

The Department of Environment has searched Client, Business and Technology Solutions branch and has identified records responsive to Access Request #22-172. The final response to the information is as follows:

Access Granted in Part

The Department of Environment is granting access in part to information relating to the request noted below:

We are conducting a study of how freedom of information requests are processed across the country. To that end, we are requesting information relating to how these requests are dealt with by your office. Please provide us with an electronic (that is, machine-readable) record of all requests received between January 1, 2021 and end of day December 31, 2021, whether completed or not. Please include fields containing the following information: request number, request summary, type of requester (academic, media, etc.), whether the request is sensitive or contentious, date received, date request completed, disclosure decision, reason for time extension, extension duration in days, exemptions applied, whether it was subject to an appeal, and number of pages disclosed. We recognize your system may not capture all of these fields. If that's the case, please give us the fields you do have. Please provide in an electronic format such as Excel or delimited text (e.g. CSV). Do not provide PDF or image files. Timeframe: January 1, 2021 - December 31, 2021.

Some of the records you requested contain information that has been withheld from disclosure under the ATIPP Act. We have severed the excepted information to disclose to you the remaining information in the records. The records have been withheld pursuant to the following sections under the Access to Information and Protection Privacy Act (ATIPP Act):

ATIPP Act Sections	Explanation
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Section 72(1)(b)(vi)	<i>Disclosure may adversely affect the security of property or a system, including a building, vehicle, computer system or communications system</i>

The detailed sections supporting the decision to withhold the information are available online at https://laws.yukon.ca/cms/images/LEGISLATION/PRINCIPAL/2018/2018-0009/2018-0009_1.pdf.

There is no charge to the applicant.

Right to Complain

Pursuant to section 66 of the ATIPP Act, you may complain to Yukon's Information and Privacy Commissioner in respect of this response within 30 business days of receiving this notice by contacting:

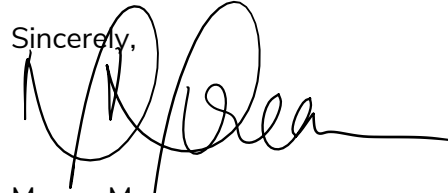
Yukon Information and Privacy Commissioner
3162 Third Avenue, Main Floor
Whitehorse, YT Y1A 1G3
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Contact Person in Department

If you feel that your request has not been answered completely or require further clarification, please contact Surene Pretorius, Access and Privacy Analyst, at (867) 667-3642 or env-atipp@yukon.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Mofeau', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Manon Mofeau
Deputy Minister of Environment