



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

July 18, 2022

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

RE: Final Response Access Request #22-256

# **Decision**

The Department of Environment has searched Finance branch and has identified records responsive to Access Request #22-256. The final response on 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 requesting the most recently updated departmental ministerial budget briefing binders for the 2022 Spring Sitting of the Yukon Legislative Assembly, containing the most recent version of ministerial briefing notes. Timeframe: April 18, 2022 - April 29, 2022

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

# **ATIPP Act Sections**

Section 67(3)(b)

# **Explanation**

 The head of a responsive public body must not grant an applicant access to information contained in a record other than a Cabinet record that, if disclosed, would reveal the substance of the deliberations of Cabinet

#### **ATIPP Act Sections**

## **Explanation**

- Section 75(a)(ii)
- Commercial, financial, scientific or technical information of the Government of Yukon or a public body and that has, or is reasonably likely to have, monetary value, that, if disclosed, may harm the financial or economic interests of the Government of Yukon, or the ability of the Government of Yukon to manage the economy
- Section 76(1)
- Disclosure could harm relations between the Government of Yukon and another government or organization

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

An electronic copy of the responsive records and summary of comments shall be forwarded to you with this response by the ATIPP Office.

Fees totaling \$75.00 must be paid before access can be provided. There are no charges associated with duplicate and out of scope records. The following is a breakdown of the fee calculation.

438 pages in total
Less 63 pages (these are available online) = 375 pages
375 pages processed @ 50 pages/hour = 7.5 hours
Less 5 free hours = 2.5 hours
2.5 hours @ \$30.00/hour = \$75.00
Less \$0.00 deposit = \$75.00 (final cost)

## 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 Phone: (867) 667-8468

Email: intake@ombudsman.vk.ca

Fax: (867) 667-8469

# **Contact Person in Department**

If you feel that your request has not been answered completely or that you require further clarification, please contact Surene Pretorius, Access and Privacy Analyst at 867-667-3642 or <a href="mailto:env-atipp@yukon.ca">env-atipp@yukon.ca</a>.

Sincerely,

Manon Moreau

Deputy Minister of Environment