



Department of Justice
April 29, 2024

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

Final Response ATIPP Access Request 23-607

The Department of Justice has searched Public Safety and Investigations branch and has identified records responsive to Access Request 23-607 noted below:

Records mentioning the rumoured or confirmed consumption, selling and/or buying of illicit drugs at the Whitehorse Emergency Shelter, the Supervised Housing and Reintegration Program and any other properties and programs operated by Connective in Whitehorse.

Timeframe: October 1, 2022 - February 20, 2024

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

the relevant program area would be Community Justice and Public Safety, and specifically the community corrections and public safety and investigations divisions. looking for records related to any unsanctioned illicit drug consumption, drug selling or drug buying taking place in or around Connective properties.

I am only seeking records related to unsanctioned/illicit activity.

Decision

The Head of the Department of Justice has approved the following response to this request:

Access Granted in Part

Certain types of information have been withheld pursuant to the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act. A summary of records reviewed and information withheld is enclosed.

Final Costs

There is no charge to the applicant.

Right to Complain

Pursuant to section 66 of the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy (ATIPP) Act, you may contact Yukon's Information and Privacy Commissioner with a complaint in respect to this response. Section 66 states:

An applicant may, in respect of the head of a responsive public body's response to their access request under section 64, make a complaint to the commissioner by filing the complaint in accordance with section 90.

Should you wish to do so, please refer your written complaint within 30 business days to the Information and Privacy Commissioner at:

Yukon Information and Privacy Commissioner
3162 Third Avenue, Main Floor, Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 1G3
E-mail: intake@yukonombudsman.ca
Phone: (867) 667-8468; (toll free: 1-800-661-0408 ext. 8468)

Contact Person in Department

If the applicant has any questions, please contact the Designated Access Officer for Department of Justice at jus.atipp@yukon.ca.

Summary of Redactions

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Records Summary	
Initial Page Count:	58
Non-responsive	50
Final Page Count:	8

Redactions Summary	
72(1)(b)(i)	Disclosure of information related to SCAN investigation*, including identities of SCAN investigators and correspondence recipients, would reveal matters subject to law enforcement.

Notes:

Non-responsive records may include records outside of the time frame of the request and/or records unrelated to the subject matter of the request.

*As per section 32(1) of the *Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods (SCAN) Act*, disclosing any information from a complainant would be a breach of the Act. SCAN investigations are complaint driven and each file is associated with the complainant and has their information. This section of the SCAN Act applies despite the ATIPP Act.

The entire SCAN Act may be accessed at laws.yukon.ca via the link:
<https://laws.yukon.ca/cms/images/LEGISLATION/PRINCIPAL/SCAN>