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December 16, 2015

Sent via email to: [ ]

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Our File: FOI-2016-014

Dear [ ]:

**Re: Request under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act***

British Columbia Ferry Services Inc. (BC Ferries) received your request for access to records under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (the FOIPP Act) on October 14, 2015. Your request was as follows:

*"I make this request pursuant to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act for all records related to BC Ferries' employees, board members or executives attending the Copenhagen Interferry Conference from Oct 3-7, 2015. Please include all travel expenses associated with the conference, registration forms, invoices, etc."*

Enclosed please find copies of the records responsive to your request. Please note that we have included all expenses associated with this conference, not only those submitted up to the date of this request. We have not provided duplicate expense information, such as receipts, which corresponds to the expense details already included in the enclosed responsive records.

There were four attendees from BC Ferries at the Copenhagen Interferry board meetings, annual general meeting and conference. The enclosed responsive records include the expense information for Mike Corrigan, who attended the conference in his joint capacity as President & CEO of BC Ferries and Treasurer of Interferry. Also included is expense information for Darren Johnston, who attended the conference in his joint capacity as BC Ferries' Executive Director, Safety and Health, and Chair of the Interferry Fire Safety Working Group. Meetings of this Working Group, chaired by Mr. Johnston, were held in Copenhagen just prior to the conference. Mr. Johnston coordinated his attendance at the Interferry conference with his requirement to travel to Poland to address matters respecting the Safety Case for the Salish Class vessels, which are now under construction by Remontowa Shipbuilding S.A. in Gdansk. Accordingly, his airfare expense to attend the Interferry conference was for travel from Gdansk to Copenhagen.

Other attendees of the conference from BC Ferries were Captain Jamie Marshall, Vice President, Fleet Operations and Deborah Marshall, Executive Director, Public Affairs. Their expenses were not paid by BC Ferries.

Some of the enclosed records contain information excepted from disclosure under the FOIPP Act. This information was severed so the remaining information could be disclosed. We have removed information under section 15(1)(l) where release would harm the security of a system including a computer system. We have also removed personal information under section 22 of the FOIPP Act, as its disclosure would be an unreasonable invasion of third parties' privacy. An excerpt of the relevant sections is attached.

We have noted on the records disclosed to you which section of the FOIPP Act was relied on to sever the information.

Thank you for your deposit of \$10.00 for this request, which we received on November 18, 2015. The final account for this request is \$8.50, as follows:

<b>Locating and retrieving the records</b>	Less than 3 free hours provided in the FOIPP Act	No charge
<b>Preparing the records for disclosure</b>	0.25 hours @ \$30.00 / hour	\$7.50
<b>Scanned electronic copy of paper records</b>	10 pages @ \$0.10 / page	\$1.00
<b>Total</b>		\$8.50
<b>Less Deposit, November 18, 2015</b>		\$10.00
<b>Balance Remaining</b>		<b>(\$1.50)</b>

The total fee is slightly less than originally estimated because fewer records were responsive to your request than anticipated. We trust that you will not require a refund for the small balance remaining.

You can apply to the Information and Privacy Commissioner for a review of this response. You have 30 working days from receipt of this letter to request a review by writing to:

Office of the Information and Privacy  
Commissioner for British Columbia  
PO Box 9038, Stn. Prov. Govt.  
Victoria, BC V8W 9A4  
Facsimile: (250) 387-1696

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with a copy of this letter, a copy of your original request, and the reasons or grounds upon which you are requesting the review.

If you have any questions, please write or call our office at (250) 978-1502.

Sincerely,

*Original signed by*

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