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Sent via email to: []

July 13, 2016

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Our File: FOI-2017-004

Dear []:

Re: Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Request

British Columbia Ferry Services Inc. received your request for access to records under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (the FOIPP Act) on May 16, 2016. Your request seeks:

Information and records with regard to the Denman Island Cable Ferry Project and the weekly visual inspections of the three cables:

- 1. Information about the professional background and experience of the personnel conducting the weekly visual inspections. Are they crew members or maintenance/ engineering staff from Little River?*
- 2. Information about the day of the week and the time of the day when the weekly inspections take place.*
- 3. Information about the speed of the ferry during those inspections, and the time it takes to inspect all three cables from all sides.*
- 4. Copies of the relevant wheel house logs, indicating the inspections and time thereof, specifically since the ferry has been in regular service.*
- 5. Copies of any written reports about the results of the inspections since the time the ferry has been in regular service.*
- 6. If the procedure is described in the Vessel Specific Manual, a copy of the relevant section.*
- 7. Assuming that the results of the electro-magnetic scan are available now, a copy the summary.*

By letter dated June 22, 2016, we notified you that we were consulting a third party about the disclosure of records responsive to this request (the "third party records"). This third party consultation process, regarding records responsive to item 7 of your request, is ongoing.

Further to our letter of July 6, 2016, BC Ferries received your payment of \$16.40, for the balance owing for the records not included in the third party consultation, on July 12, 2016. Accordingly, enclosed please find copies of the records responsive to items 4 and 5 of your request. We have manually produced the responses to the items 1, 2, 3 and 6, also enclosed.

Some of the records contain signatures and employee telephone numbers whose disclosure would be an unreasonable invasion of third parties' privacy under section 22 of the FOIPP Act. This information was severed so the remaining information could be disclosed.

An excerpt of the relevant section is attached.

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

Jason Eamer-Goult
Manager, Regulatory & FOIPP