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Sent via email to: [ ]

Our File: FOI-2019-003

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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 July 13, 2018. Your request was for:

*“All communications sent between the Government of British Columbia and BC Ferries regarding the removal of fuel rebates, since January 1, 2018.”*

Enclosed please find copies of the records responsive to your request.

Some of the records contain information excepted from disclosure under the FOIPP Act. This information was severed so the remaining information could be disclosed.

We have withheld signatures, personal details concerning an individual and telephone and cellular numbers of BC Ferries employees. The disclosure of this personal information would be an unreasonable invasion of third parties’ personal privacy (section 22). In addition, these telephone and cellular numbers are used in emergencies and their disclosure and potential unauthorized use could harm the security of any property or system, or interfere with public safety (sections 15 and 19).

We have noted on the records disclosed to you which section of the FOIPP Act was relied on to sever the information. An excerpt of the relevant sections is attached.

Thank you for your deposit of \$8.80 for this request, received on October 12, 2018. The final charge for this request is \$12.30. We have calculated this amount as follows:

<b>Locating and retrieving the records</b>	Less than 3 free hours provided in the FOIPP Act	No charge
<b>Preparing records for disclosure</b>	0.25 hours @ \$30.00/hour	\$7.50
<b>Scanned electronic copies of paper records</b>	48 pages @ \$0.10/page	\$4.80
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12.30</b>
	Less deposit	\$8.80
	<b>Amount owing</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>

The total fee is more than originally estimated because of the quantity of responsive pages. We have waived the balance owing for this request.

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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