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Sent via email to:

Our File: FOI-2023-029

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 January 4, 2023. Your request was as follows:

"Copies of all communications with the Ferries Commissioner and internal and/or external engineering reports regarding the reduction of the maximum wind speed allowed for safe operation of the Baynes Sound Connector. Timeframe: January 1, 2022 to January 4, 2023"

Further to our letter of February 17, 2023 and April 20, 2023, these records were sent in a consultation to a third party who had 20 business days to apply for a review of our decision regarding disclosure of the record. As the third party did not apply for a review, enclosed please find a copy of the records.

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

The severed information is excepted from disclosure under sections 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 22 of the FOIPP Act. The information was severed because [reasons]. A copy of the FOIPP Act can be found here:
https://www.bclaws.gov.bc.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165_00 .

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 final fee payment of \$86.50 for this request, received on May 9, 2023

The account for this request is settled.

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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FOIPP Office