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Our File: FOI-2024-025

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February 20, 2024

Sent via email to:

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 November 28, 2023. Your request was as follows:

"All documents (e.g. emails, MS Teams chats, briefing notes, issues notes, decision notes) regarding current ownership and organization model of BC Ferries, including privatization and outsourcing, held by CEO, Nicolas Jimenez, or CFO, Jill Sharland. Timeframe: March 1 to October 3, 2023."

Enclosed please find copies of the records responsive to your request. The records have been withheld in their entirety. The severed information is excepted from disclosure under sections 15 (harm to the security of a system), 17 (harm to the financial interests of BC Ferries), 19 (harm to public safety), 21 (harm to third party business interests) and 22 (personal information) of the FOIPP Act. 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 the sections of the FOIPP Act we relied on to sever the information.

Thank you for your deposit of \$7.50 for this request, received on December 28, 2023. The final charge for this request is the same amount, therefore, we consider the account for this request is settled.

If you are not satisfied with this response, 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

Shauna Rasmussen Manager, Information and Privacy FOIPP Office