

BC Community Living Action Group (BC-CLAG)

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Via Email

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Dear Mr. Fuller

Re: FOIPPA - Notice of Fee Estimate - File #FIN-2011-00213

I write in response to your December 9, 2011 letter.

On November 10, 2011, I filed a request for access to records (the "Initial Request") with the Ministry of Social Development ("MSD"). On December 1, 2011, by letter from Vicki Hudson, I was advised that the Ministry of Finance ("Finance") has custody and control of a portion of the records requested in the Initial Request. Ms. Hudson advised that the Initial Request had been partially transferred to Finance. On December 2, 2011, I received a letter confirming that Finance had received the Initial Request as a partial transfer from MSD.

In your December 9 letter, you advised that you have determined that there is a fee for processing my request. However, you did not advise of the portion of the Initial Request to which this fee applies. To date, I have not been told which parts of the Initial Request were transferred to Finance.

Please advise which parts of the Initial Request were transferred to Finance, and to which parts of the Initial Request the fee applies.

Yours truly,

Jonathan Chapnick

Legal Counsel, Hospital Employees' Union

cc: BC Community Living Action Group