

File No.: 04-1000-20-2017-396

February 9, 2018

s.22(1)

Dear s.22(1)

**Re: Request for Access to Records under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the "Act")**

I am responding to your request of October 19, 2017 for:

**Submissions by City of Vancouver and Vancouver Economic Commission in response to the call for bids by the United Bid Committee, Canadian Soccer Association and their agents and representatives to host matches and related events for the 2026 FIFA World Cup.**

The Office of Sport Hosting confirms that a decision to host matches and related events for the 2026 FIFA World Cup has not been finalized to date. Once the decision has been made, the hosting resume will then be released. In the meantime the records are being withheld under s.17(1) and s.21(1). You can read or download these sections here:

[http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws\\_new/document/ID/freeside/96165\\_00](http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00)

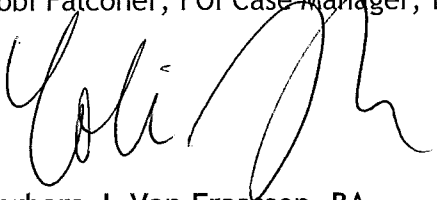
Under section 52 of the Act you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your request. The Act allows you 30 business days from the date you receive this notice to request a review by writing to: Office of the Information & Privacy Commissioner, [info@oipc.bc.ca](mailto:info@oipc.bc.ca) or by phoning 250-387-5629.

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with: 1) the request number assigned to your request (#04-1000-20-2017-396); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request for information sent to the City of Vancouver; and 4) detailed reasons or grounds on which you are seeking the review.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Freedom of Information Office at [foi@vancouver.ca](mailto:foi@vancouver.ca) if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

Cobi Falconer, FOI Case Manager, for

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cobi Falconer', written in a cursive style.

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