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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 February 28, 2018 under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* for:

Data on all traffic accidents that occurred in Vancouver from January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2017, including the location of each accident, date of accident, severity of accident, road conditions, weather conditions, driver demographics, and if any injuries or fatalities occurred.

The City is unable to provide accident or collision statistics. The City has an agreement with ICBC, Vancouver Coastal Health, and BC Ambulance Service which prohibits the City from sharing that data with the public. You can try approaching those organizations directly for the data and/or refer to ICBC's website which provides some basic information and visualization of collisions: http://www.icbc.com/about-icbc/newsroom/Pages/Lower-Mainland-Crash-Map.aspx.

In regards to fatalities, the BC Coroners Service publishes a variety of statistical reports related to motor vehicle deaths. Please see the following website: https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/public-safety/death-investigation/statistical-reports

You may also make an FOI request to the Vancouver Police Department for fatalities information at foi@vpd.ca.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Freedom of Information Office at <u>foi@vancouver.ca</u> if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

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