

File No. 04-1000-20-2016-040

February 17, 2016

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 January 29, 2016 for:

In regards to federal employee s.22(1), who was attacked and bitten by the dog at s.22(1), Vancouver, on May 20, 2014 (Animal Control file #14-237-131), details of any previous incidences involving this dog including details of any declarations deeming the dog to be "Dangerous/Vicious".

All responsive records are attached. Some information in the records has been severed, (blacked out), under s.22(1) of the Act. You can read or download this section 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 (#04-1000-20-2016-040); 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of fluid, connected strokes that form a stylized representation of the name Barbara J. Van Fraassen.

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May 23, 2014

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Dear s.22(1)

The purpose of the Animal Control By-law 9150, Section 1.2, 4.2, 4.3 and 4.5 is to protect the public by regulating the keeping of aggressive dogs. An "Aggressive Dog" as defined by Section 1.2 of the Animal Control By-law 9150 states:

- (a) *a dog with a known propensity, tendency or disposition to attack without provocation other domestic animals or human beings, or*
- (b) *a dog which has bitten another domestic animal or human being without provocation."*

This letter is to inform you that the City of Vancouver Animal Control has received the following information:

**That on May 20, 2014 your dog s.22(1) s.22(1), was responsible for an unprovoked attack and injury to a member of the public, while entering, from public sidewalk, onto your front yard property main entrance, of s.22(1), Vancouver.**

Please be advised that as a result of our investigation the City of Vancouver Animal Control considers your dog to be an "aggressive dog" as defined by Section 1.2 of the Animal Control By-law 9150.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

- Section 4.2 of the Animal Control By-law states, "*A person who keeps a dog must not permit, suffer, or allow the dog to be on a street or other public place unless the dog is under the immediate charge and control of a competent person by means of a leash that is not more than 2.5 m long or another by-law allows the dog to be off-leash under certain circumstances.*"