

File No. 04-1000-20-2016-495

January 13, 2017

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 December 15, 2016 for:

Statistics relating to the number of demolition permits issued for the timeframe of January 1, 2014 to December 21, 2016.

The demolition statistics that you are seeking are currently available on the City of Vancouver website, here: <http://vancouver.ca/home-property-development/statistics-on-construction-activity.aspx>. The total demolition stats for a specific year can be found in the December document of each year. If you are looking for a list of addresses involved in demolitions over the years, this type of information would be available for a fee from Development Services.

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 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 (#04-1000-20-2016-495); 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 if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'B' followed by a wavy line.

Barbara J. Van Fraassen, BA
Director, Access to Information
City Clerk's Department, City of Vancouver

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