

File No.: 04-1000-20-2018-328

June 28, 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 June 12, 2018 for:

In 2017, Vancouver Fire Rescue Services hired at least one applicant who did not include all the information listed as required on the application form published on the Vancouver Fire Rescue Services website in 2016. Request is for the following:

- 1. Number of other applicants hired without meeting VFRS requirements; and**
- 2. Number of applicants removed from VFRS recruitment for not submitting all the information VFRS listed as required.**

Date Range: January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2017.

For part one of your request, Vancouver Fire and Rescue Services Department confirmed that zero applicants were hired without meeting VFRS requirements.

For part two of your request, 71 applicants were not moved forward to the written exam and screened out because they did not meet one or more of the mandatory requirements.

Under section 52 of the Act, and within 30 business days of receipt of this letter, you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your FOI request 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 (#04-1000-20-2018-328); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request; and 4) detailed reasons why you are seeking the review.

Yours truly,



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*If you have any questions, please email us at foi@vancouver.ca and we will respond to you as soon as possible. Or you can call the FOI Case Manager at 604.871.6584.

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