

File No.: 04-1000-20-2025-610

September 9, 2025

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 September 5, 2025 under the ***Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*** for:

**Record of Alternative Solutions, Equivalent Reports and Code Consultant Reports submitted as part of a Building Permit application for Vancouver Community College Downtown Campus at 250 West Pender, including relevant sprinklers, corridor/stairwell pressurizations, compartmentalization reports. Date range: January 1, 1980 to January 1, 1995.**

The information you are requesting is routinely available for purchase, and therefore excepted from the Act under section 3(5)(a). 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).

Our office understands that you may have already reached out to Property Research through the routine method. However, if necessary, please see the following link which provides more information on obtaining property records:

<https://vancouver.ca/home-property-development/request-property-research-and-copies-of-permits.aspx>.

Under Part 5 of the Act, 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](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 (2025-610); 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,

Kevin Tuerlings, FOI Case Manager, for

*[Signed by Kevin Tuerlings]*

**Cobi Falconer, MAS, MLIS, CIPP/C**  
**Director, Access to Information & Privacy**

If you have any questions, please email us at [foi@vancouver.ca](mailto:foi@vancouver.ca) and we will respond to you as soon as possible. You may also contact 3-1-1 (604-873-7000) if you require accommodation or do not have access to email.

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