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Sent via email to:

Our File: FOI-2025-011

Birch Hill Equity 4510-81 Bay Street PO Box 45 Toronto, ON M5J 0E7

Dear Ryan Krook:

Re: Request under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

British Columbia Ferry Services Inc. (BC Ferries) received your request for access to records under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (the FOIPP Act) on September 18, 2024. Your request was as follows:

"Statistics for all routes by departing terminal showing passengers by types of passengers: personal vehicle, commercial vehicle or foot. Date range: August 1, 2022 to August 31, 2024.

Request the stats be broken down smaller than monthly, such as daily or per sailing."

Enclosed please find copies of the records responsive to your request. Some of the records contain information excepted from disclosure under the FOIPP Act. This information was severed so the remaining information could be disclosed. The severed information is excepted from disclosure under sections 15 (harm to the security of a system), 17 (harm to the financial interests of BC Ferries) and 19 (harm to public safety) of the FOIPP Act. A copy of the FOIPP Act can be found here: https://www.bclaws.gov.bc.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/96165 00 .

Thank you for your deposit of \$200.00 for this request, received on October 2, 2024. The final charge for this request is very close to the same amount. We have calculated this amount, using our commercial applicant rate, as follows:

Develop report and produce records from computer program	4 hours @ \$48.52/hour	\$194.08
Preparing records for disclosure	10 minutes @ \$48.52/hour	\$7.76
	Total	\$201.84
	Less deposit	\$200.00
	Amount owing	\$1.84

As this charge is very close to the amount of your deposit, the account for this request is settled.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you can apply to the Information and Privacy Commissioner for a review of this response. You have 30 working days from receipt of this letter to request a review by writing to:

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner for British Columbia PO Box 9038, Stn. Prov. Govt. Victoria, BC V8W 9A4 Facsimile: (250) 387-1696

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with a copy of this letter, a copy of your original request, and the reasons or grounds upon which you are requesting the review.

If you have any questions, please write or call our office at (250) 978-1502.

Sincerely, Original signed by

Shauna Rasmussen Manager, Information and Privacy FOIPP Office