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Elizabeth Denham,
Office of the Information and Privacy
Commissioner for British Columbia
Victoria, BC V8W 1H2

Re: Advice immediately prior to evicting Population Analyst from BC Stats building
Honorable Information Commissioner,

Please disclose the advise given to Don McRae, Executive Director of BC Stats, by Michelle Charbonneau (PSA) the day before an employee, the Population Analyst with the role of expert on migration who had raised concerns about population numbers being changed outside of the statistical models and coercion, was ordered to leave his office and “escorted” out of the BC Stats building. The following is a copy of an excerpt from the Freedom of Information package:

-----Original Message-----

From: Charbonneau, Michelle M PSA:EX
Sent: February 14, 2006 3:48 PM
To: Gore, Carol PSA:EX
Subject: RE: Work Expectations
Carol
Talked to Don briefly a few minutes ago.
Advised/suggested to him re the following:

s.13(1)

As you are aware, Section 13 (1) from the FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PROTECTION OF PRIVACY ACT reads

“The head of a public body may refuse to disclose to an applicant information that would reveal advice or recommendations developed by or for a public body or a minister.”

For more information, please see <http://www.wminfomatics.com/WP/home.html>.

Please see [Petition for arbitration to proceed](#) including Exhibit 23a: Emails prior to dismissal including reference to an article by I. Fellegi, former head of Statistics Canada, and Exhibit 23b: PSA notes regarding order to leave BC Stats building.

Yours truly,



William Warren Munroe