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Sent via email: <u>nathan.caddell@carleton.ca</u>

Nathan Caddell Carleton University 122 Glenora Street Ottawa ON K1S 1J3

Dear Nathan Caddell:

**Re: Request for Access to Records** 

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA)

The **Ministry of Education** and the **Ministry of Technology, Innovation and Citizens' Services** received your request for access to information under FOIPPA on March 14, 2016. We understand your request to be for:

All records, including briefing notes, correspondence, etc. about how to implement the government's decision to institute computer coding in schools. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2015 To 03/13/2016)

FOIPPA allows 30 business days for public bodies to respond unless the nature of the request requires an extension per section 10 of FOIPPA. We will make every effort to respond to your request by **April 27, 2016**. We will notify you as soon as possible if there is a need to extend the time limit for responding to your request.

You have submitted your request to multiple public bodies and will receive responses under each of the file references noted. Please be aware that records may not exist within each of the bodies you have selected. We ask that you await responses from each public body before considering your request complete.

FOIPPA also allows that we may charge a fee for certain limited costs of providing you with the requested information, such as locating, retrieving and copying a large volume of records. Should this be the case, we will contact you at a later date with a fee estimate.

Telephone: 250 387-1321 Fax: 250 387-9843 You have requested that the Ministry waive the fees in this matter. Until it has been determined if fees apply, we will not be addressing your request for a fee waiver.

Please also be advised that the response to your request (subject to limited exemptions) will be published on the BC Government's Open Information website after its release to you. Your identity will be protected in the response. To find out more about Open Information please access the Open Information website at: http://www.openinfo.gov.bc.ca/.

Should you have any questions now or during the processing of your request please contact our office at 250 387-1321 and ask to speak with the analyst assigned to your request. Please quote the file number(s) identified at the top of this letter.

If calling from Vancouver dial 604 660-2421, or elsewhere in BC dial 1 800 663-7867, and ask to be transferred to 250 387-1321.

Regards,

Brenda Margetish Consolidated Intake Information Access Operations