

FOI Update: Fair Hydro Emails

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Attachments: TBS 2018-014 requester version of records_Redacted.pdf (1.03 MB); 2018-014 BN for CO 2018-04-24.doc (59.39 kB)

Hi Helen,

Just an update on the Fair Hydro related FOIs. You'll recall there are three, all filed by the same media outlet.

1. Records provided to the Auditor General in response to the audit on the Fair Hydro Plan. Interim decision and fee estimate were released and appealed. Appeal is in the intake stage; mediation has not commenced. (Received by TBS, MOF & Energy)	Following the fee estimate decision, the requestor filed an mediation, March 21. Finance and Energy have also received notice. We are waiting for direction from the IPC
2. All emails received or sent by the Deputy Minister pertaining to the financial/accounting structure of the Fair Hydro Plan. Interim decision and fee estimate released; request is on hold until deposit of fees is received. (Received by TBS & Energy)	Your emails contained enough responsive requests that were we able to put the request on hold until the requestor pays 50% of the (\$61.90) fee estimate. This decision was sent March 29 and the requestor has not yet paid. They have 45 days from then to pay before the file will be closed. If no payment is received by May 14, FOI will sent a letter notifying them that the file is closed.
3. All emails received or sent by the Minister pertaining to the financial/accounting structure of the Fair Hydro Plan. (Received by TBS & Energy)	The Minister had a much lower volume of records, we could not put it on hold before review. FOI has reviewed the records (the redacted version is the pdf file attached) and has placed a decision in the mail today. The records are media scans and other public statements forwarded to the Minister by her staff. Some cabinet confidential material has been redacted under section

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If the requestor pays the \$16.90 the attached records will be released.
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Happy to answer any additional questions, also attached is the BN on the third request.

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