



**Civil Service Commission**

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**Re: Application for Access under The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) – Our File Number 11-16CSC**

On June 17, 2016, Manitoba Civil Service Commission received your access request:

*“All records reflecting costs that pertain to the most recent government transition. This includes direct costs related to recruiting, hiring, and relocation allowances as well as office renovation and staff relocation, office supplies, and departmental consolidation instances when departments were combined.”*

Manitoba Civil Service Commission has searched its records and can advise that it did not incur costs from the government transition as a result we were not able to locate any records that were responsive to your request. When no records exist, a request is deemed to be refused as per subsection 12(1)(c)(i) of FIPPA.

In the interest of the Government of Manitoba’s commitment to openness and transparency, this response letter will be made available on our proactive disclosure website. Any personal or other confidential information belonging to you or a third party will be removed prior to disclosure.

Section 59(1) of FIPPA states that you may make a complaint about this decision respecting your application for access to the Manitoba Ombudsman. You have 60 days from the receipt of this letter to make a complaint on the prescribed form to:

Manitoba Ombudsman  
750 – 500 Portage Avenue  
Winnipeg MB R3C 3X1  
(204) 982-9130 or 1-800-665-0531

Please contact Mr. Arwin Chua, FIPPA Coordinator for Manitoba Civil Service Commission at (204) 945-3767 should you have any questions regarding this response.

Sincerely,

*Original signed by*

Christina Moody  
Access and Privacy Officer

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**Relevant provisions of**  
***The Freedom of Information & Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA)***

**Contents of response**

12(1) In a response under section 11, the head of the public body shall inform the applicant

(c) if access to the record or part of the record is refused,

(i) in the case of a record that does not exist or cannot be located, that the record does not exist or cannot be located,