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## Michael Geist



Re: Request for Release of Information pursuant to
The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

Dear Mr. Geist:

On January 3, 2012 your application was received for access to information under Part XX of the Municipal Government Act requesting the following:

- All records related to Canadian government lawful access legislation since January 1, 2010;
- A list of all incidents since January 1, 2009 where a request to an Internet service provider for customer name, address, email address, internet protocol address or IMEI number was refused;
- 3. A list of all Court orders obtained or denied since January 1, 2009 ordering an Internet service provider to release customer name, address, email address, internet protocol address or IMEI number.

Please find information to your summary of questions:

- The information you have requested would have been published or released to the public; therefore, the Act does not apply. Please be advised, we are not the Canadian (Federal/Provincial) Government and; therefore, this information would not be in our custody or control.
- With reference to our conversation on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2012, it was agreed to search other avenues regarding your request. A search was conducted using key words such as Bell (2022), ISP (1703), computer (540), Rogers (530), Eastlink (119), Facebook (107), Telus (96), Internet (90), Aliant (66), Bell/Aliant (8), Internet Protocol (1) and Kodoo (no results). A review was undertaken and we could not find a refusal.
- 3. We did not process the Court orders as this search would require significant resources and it was agreed that the search criteria was suffice.

As previously discussed, the only way to accurately determine this information would be to do a full file review.

If you have any questions in respect to this matter, please feel free to contact our office.