



OFFICE OF THE PREMIER

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June 11, 2021

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Re: We do not have the information you requested – 2021-00895-PRE/21-25

The Office of the Premier received your application for access to information under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIPOP) Act* on May 4, 2021. In your application you requested:

Clarified May 6, 2021: Looking for correspondence within the office of the Premier (Premier, Deputy Minister, Communications staff, Premier's Executive Assistant) and with other departments regarding decisions about providing access to child care for essential workers (as was announced recently). Please exclude correspondence from the general public. (Date Range for Record Search: From 02/28/2021 To 04/29/2021)

After a file search, we have located no record responsive to your application. Therefore, it is my understanding, pursuant to clause 7(2)(b) of the *FOIPOP Act*, that the Office of the Premier does not have custody or control of (a) record(s) which would respond to your application.

You have the right to ask for a review of this decision by the Information Access and Privacy Commissioner (formerly the Review Officer). You have 60 days from the date of this letter to exercise this right. If you wish to ask for a review, you may do so on Form 7, a copy of which is attached. Send the completed form to the Information Access and Privacy Commissioner, P.O. Box 181, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 2M4.

Please be advised that a de-identified copy of this disclosure letter and the attached response to your FOIPOP application will be made public after 14 days. The package will be posted online at <https://openinformation.novascotia.ca>. The letter will not include your name, address or any other personal information that you have supplied while making your application under the *FOIPOP Act*. Please contact Arilea Sill at 902-424-3787 or by e-mail at Arilea.Sill@novascotia.ca, if you need further assistance in regards to this application.

Sincerely,

Laura Lee Langley
Deputy Minister of the Office of the Premier

Attachment