

October 2, 2013

Mr. Colin Craig Canadian Taxpayers Federation 1881 Portage Avenue P.O. Box 42123 Winnipeg, MB R3J 3X7

PRIORITY POST

Dear Mr. Craig:

Re: Application for Access No. 13-066

Your Application for Access under *The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* ("the *Act*") was received on September 23, 2013.

Application for Access No. 13-066 reads:

"Please provide documentation on any lists of refused or unacceptable personalized licence plates."

In a telephone conversation with Paul Lacroix, MPI Privacy and Information Officer, on September 23, 2013, you clarified your request. You said that you wanted a list of refused or unacceptable personalized licence plate slogans from the last two years.

Response: Please find enclosed a one-page chart that lists the licence plate slogans that were not approved for use as personalized licence plates from March 1, 2011 to September 24, 2013.

By way of background, personalized licence plates cannot include:

- any profane, sexually suggestive, racial or alcohol/drug-related words, phrases or innuendoes that may be considered offensive or suggestive, or political messages of any description, in any language.
- a hyphen at the beginning or end of the slogan.
- a slogan containing consecutive hyphens and/or spaces.
- any combination of letters and numbers that would create an identification problem: Example: 118B5S.

 any combination of letters and/or numbers duplicating or resembling any existing or proposed regular number plate series, or that would create an identification problem.

The Registrar of Motor Vehicles reserves the right to recall personalized licence plates that are later deemed to be inappropriate.

A copy of the "Specialized Licence Plates" brochure, which provides additional information on personalized licence plates, can be viewed on the Manitoba Public Insurance website at the following link:

http://www.mpi.mb.ca/en/PDFs/PersonalizedLicencePlateBrochure.pdf

No exemptions have been applied to any aspect of this response, however, any questions you have can be directed to Mr. Lacroix, at (204) 985-8770 ext. 8804.

You have a right to make a complaint to the Manitoba Ombudsman regarding this response. The complaint must be filed within 60 days after you receive this response. It must be on the prescribed "Complaint Form" and be delivered to:

Manitoba Ombudsman 750 – 500 Portage Avenue Winnipeg, MB R3C 3X1

Yours truly

Dean I. Scaletta

Director, Information and Litigation

Enclosure

FIPPA 13-066 - Personalized Licence Plate Slogans Not Approved for Use - March 1, 2011 to September 23, 2013

1 SXBX	BLUBYOU	GOTRICE	MR BEER	PUTKA	TRSTNHM
12GAUGE	BLWBYOU	GREML1N	MR51NGH	R1CKY	UGOBLOW
1ELOI81	BNDIT25	GRIMRPR	MY MJ	RD RAGE	UMADBR0
1HUNTR	BNDT-25	GRIT	MY TOY	REAPR	UPYRKLT
1KILLR	BNZUOVR	H0L1DAY	MY4SOME	RNSTNAG	V1RK
1N ONLY	BTCHPLS	INDCENT	MYFIFTY	ROBOGRP	WBY FAN
10NKAR	BTCHPLZ	INFOWAR	MYMSTRS	ROOFIES	WBY MAG
1PAYDAY	BTRCUP5	ISLANDS	NDN CAR	S4NDHU	WTF
2COLD2P	BULLEEZ	IVAPE	NDN WMN	S8NSDAD	XKWIZIT
2PHUGLY	CAM1NO	J03007	NDNCADY	S8NSSON	YOSHI
4SK1N	CHIVE	J04328	NEM1S1S	SATNAM	YO8Y3OL
50 GREY	CHIVEON	JAH 4EV	NEMIS1S	SNAFU	YOSH1
50SHADZ	CHOOCH	KALI 2	NFG	SNIPER	ZERG
51 NGH	COPMGNT	KEEPH8N	NFS	SNIPPER	
51NGH	CREEPIN	KHALSAA	NIRNKAR	SOBR1	
5I NGH	DEOL	KSSMY-S	NJRAT	SONOS8N	
5INGH	DEEPEE	KU5TOM	NSTIG8R	SP00KY	
6SRADB9	DH1MAN	KUSTOM	O5BLV	SP3NC3	
AKAAL	DHILLON	LIPSMTY	ON BAIL	SPEDTKT	
B05143	DTHWSH	LUVRACN	00	SPOKEN4	
B05484	DUI	LUVTOFU	000	SPOONGF	
B1GPAPA	EATDUST	M1CHA3L	OUTLAW1	SPOONHW	
BADA55	ELSHDAI	M1CHAEL	OUTLAW2	SPOONWM	
BAI DU	FCUK	M3NACE	P1STOL	STFU	
BANDT25	FIFTY	M3NICE	PANDORI	STOP	
BAR BIE	FISCHER	M3NNACE	PB0001	SUHRAD	
BCH BUM	FLUZY	M3NNICE	PB0007	SWTAS88	
BDIWSKI	FOX-DTK	MA1HI	PHAST	SXBX 1	
BEACHBM	FRUPA	MAFFIA	PMA-M0D	SXBX	
BENZIN	GOTFISH	MARCIE1	POOKEE	TOY CAR	
BENZOVR	GENES1S	MEAPUTA	POOKEE1	T0Y-CAR	
BHULKU	GETBLWN	MIK7RAP	POOKEE2	TOYCAR	
BIG SXY	GOOGLE	MMMBEER	PRNCE55	T1H5 HO	
BIGFRPA	GOTBEER	MOB	PUNISH	TANKS	
BIGSEXY	GOTF1SH	MONK3Y	PUTA ME	T-GRIT	