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Colin Craig 1881 Portage Avenue PO Box 42123 Winnipeg, Manitoba R3J 3X7

Dear Mr. Craig:

RE: Application for Access
Our File FOI 2014-45

The following is in response to your access to information request, repeated below:

"Please provide documentation (a summary table will suffice) on the amount of money paid to Sagkeeng First Nation over the past decade through flood agreements and other compensation efforts. Please list the amount by year and purpose."

Your request is refused on the basis that:

- Disclosure would reveal commercial and financial information, which could reasonably be expected to interfere with contractual or other negotiations of a third party, and/or result in significant financial loss or gain to a third party [FIPPA subparagraphs 18 (1) (c) (ii (iii)]; and
- 2) Disclosure could reasonably be expected to harm relations between Manitoba Hydro and the council of a First Nations band [FIPPA p. 21 (1) (c.1)].

You may make a complaint about the refusal to the Ombudsman.

Please let us know if you have questions or comments.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Valerie Gilrov

Access & Privacy Officer (Acting)

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