



April 21, 2016



RE: Freedom of Information Request #2017-04

Dear

Thank you for your letter which was received by our office on March 22, 2017.

Your request was for the total amount of paid for legal services by the NPCA. The following is a summation of all legal expenses across all internal control accounts.

Year	Amount
2011	\$52,852.53
2012	\$31,716.45
2013	\$11,743.58
2014	\$43,440.86
2015	\$82,158.61
2016	\$95,129.44

I am responsible for the decision to deny access to information and to sever portions of any records to which only partial access was granted. You may ask for a review of this decision within 30 days of receiving this letter by writing to The Information and Privacy Commissioner/Ontario, 2 Bloor Street East, Suite 1400, Toronto, Ontario, M4W 1A8, Tel.: 1-800-387-0073.

If you decide to request a review of this decision, please provide the Commissioner's office with the following: the file number listed at the beginning of this letter; a copy of this decision letter; a copy of the original request for information you sent to our institution; and the reasons why you believe the records exist (if the decision was that no records exist).

Also, you must send an appeal fee to the Commissioner's office. If your request was for your personal information, the appeal fee is \$10.00. The appeal fee for all other requests for information is \$25.00. Please include the fee with your letter of appeal — appeal fees should be in the form of either a cheque or money order, payable to the Minister of Finance.

Sincerely,

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