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December 18, 2018

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Dec 27, 2018
[Signature]

Dennis R. Young
1330 Ravenswood Drive SE
Airdrie, Alberta T4A 0P8

Dear Dennis R. Young:

This is further to your request under the *Access to Information Act*, received on November 29, 2018 for:

“For the period from 1994 to present please provide copies of all studies, papers, proposals, impact assessments, cost-benefit analyses, recommendations, polls, focus groups, Briefing Notes to the Minister and Advice to the Minister examining the efficacy, arguments for and against and advantages and disadvantages of gun control measures considered by the government including the following:

1. **Banning handguns**
2. **Banning semi-automatic firearms**
3. **Banning all firearms**
4. **Central Storage/Repositories for firearms in urban centres.”**

**Exclude submissions, recommendations received via the engagement process.
Include only records the department has before the Minister announced the engagement process.**

Include only the attachments of the Briefing Binders and Briefing Packages that relate to the description of the request.

Exclude Memorandums to Cabinet.”

Pursuant to paragraphs 9(1)(a) and 9(1)(b) of the *Act*, an extension of 545 days beyond the statutory time limit is required to process this request as it is necessary to search through a large volume of documents to locate the records that respond to your request, and/or your request has generated a large volume of records. As such, meeting the original time limit would unreasonably interfere with the operations of the department. Furthermore, consultations with program experts and/or other government departments are required. We have determined that these consultations are necessary and they cannot reasonably be completed within the statutory time limit.

In addition, pursuant to 9(1)(c) of the *Act*, extension is also required to conduct mandatory consultations with Third Parties.

The revised date for responding to your request is June 26, 2020. The Department will endeavour to respond to you before this date if possible.

Please be advised that you are entitled to complain to the Information Commissioner concerning the processing of your request within sixty days of the receipt of this notice. In the event you decide to avail yourself of this right, your notice of complaint should be addressed to:

Office of the Information Commissioner of Canada
30 Victoria Street
Gatineau, Quebec K1A 1H3
Online : www.oic-ci.gc.ca

Should you require additional information, or if you wish to discuss this notice, please contact Lucie Graveson at (613) 949-0360, or by e-mail at Lucie.Graveson@canada.ca.

Sincerely,



André Chartrand
Manager, Access to Information and Privacy

c.c.: Information Commissioner

ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT

Access to Information Request Form

For official use only:

My File: 222

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PUBLIC SAFETY CANADA

Details regarding the information being sought:

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Method of access preferred: ☐ Receive copies of originals ☐ Examine originals in government offices

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This request for access to information under the Access to Information Act is being made by:

- ☐ a Canadian citizen, permanent resident or another individual present in Canada, or
☐ a corporation present in Canada

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Signature: _____
[Original signed by]
Dennis R. Young

Date: November 10, 2018