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Dear [REDACTED]

Re: Access to Information Request No. [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for access to information, which was received in this office on February 28, 2011, together with payment of the fee. You requested:

The number of legal aid certificates granted for the [REDACTED] in each quarter of the calendar years 2009 and 2010, broken down by area of law - family and criminal and other.

The number of legal aid certificates granted for the Province of Ontario in each quarter of the calendar years 2009 and 2010, broken down by area of law - family and criminal and other.

At this time, I am enclosing information responsive to your request, namely statistics extracted from our computer records. Please note that immigration certificates are separately recorded in the attached table, although you had not specifically requested that statistic.

I trust this information is of assistance to you. I am responsible for the decision to grant you access to these records. You may ask for a review of this decision within 30 days of receiving this letter by writing to: The Information and Privacy Commission/Ontario, 2 Bloor Street West, Suite 1400, Toronto Ontario M4W 1A8, Telephone 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; and a copy of the original request for information you sent to our institution.

In addition, you must send an appeal fee to the Commissioner's office. That appeal fee for other than personal information is \$25.00.

Yours truly,

Robert W. Ward
President/CEO