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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 November 3, 2014, along with the \$5 application fee.

You requested the following records:

“The start and end dates that the following lawyers were empanelled with legal aid to represent refugee cases: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]”.

Section 22 of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FIPPA) provides that the head of an institution may choose to post information that has been sought pursuant to a request for information on an external website that is accessible to the public as an alternative to sending the requested information to the individual requestor solely. Because I believe that the public has an interest in the information that you are requesting, it will be posted on the LAO external website within the next couple of weeks. LAO’s external website is at:

<http://www.legalaid.on.ca/>

Pursuant to FIPPA, I have been designated as the head of the institution and as such am responsible for this decision. 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. The appeal fee for general information is \$25.00.

Yours truly,

Robert W. Ward  
President/CEO  
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