

Media Advisory

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Commissioner to release report on alleged information sharing between B.C. Government and B.C. Liberal Party

VICTORIA — On Thursday, Aug. 1 at 9:30 a.m., B.C. Information and Privacy Commissioner Elizabeth Denham will release a report summarizing the results of her office's investigation of alleged sharing of personal information between the B.C. Government and the B.C. Liberal Party.

The Commissioner's report focuses on whether the actions taken by parties to the Multicultural Strategic Outreach Plan were in compliance with the rules for collection and disclosure of personal information set out in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, which applies to public bodies, and the *Personal Information Protection Act*, which applies to private-sector organizations including political parties.

Investigation Report F13-04: Sharing of Personal Information as Part of the Draft Multicultural Strategic Outreach Plan will be available for download at 9:30 a.m. at: www.oipc.bc.ca

A provincewide news release will be issued summarizing the report.

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