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November 7, 2016

Ms. Christine Van Geyn
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Dear Ms. Van Geyn:

SUBJECT: REQUEST NUMBER CSCS-A-2016-02395

This letter is in response to your request submitted to the Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services (the Ministry), under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the Act).

Your request was received by the Ministry on May 31, 2016 as a transfer by the Ministry of Finance. Your request is for access the total cost of security for the Ontario budget lockups, and the total number of officers on duty related to the lockups.

Please be advised that total access is being granted to the requested information. The total security costs incurred for the 2016 Ontario Budget Lockups is \$107,381.34.

Please note that total costs encompass both the budget lock-up (release day) and the Frost lockdown (month prior to release). The total number of employees on duty related to the Lockups is 80.

This access decision was made by the undersigned. You are entitled to appeal this decision within 30 days to:

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