

Airdrie, Alberta  
November 19, 2013

MY FILE: 049

Ms. Suzanne Legault  
The Information Commissioner of Canada  
Place de Ville, Tower B  
112 Kent Street, 7th Floor  
Ottawa, Ontario  
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Dear Ms. Legault:

**Re: COMPLAINT - RCMP ATILE: A-2013-04641**

Please find attached a copy of my original request to the RCMP dated July 24, 2013 with my amendment to the section "Federal Government Institution" and a copy of the RCMP's response dated November 4, 2013 that I received on November 15, 2013.

The RCMP's no records response makes no sense. Prior to the destruction of the long-gun registry as a result of an Act of Parliament, the RCMP kept track of each long-gun sold/transferred and the names and addresses of each and every new owner. The same as they currently do with restricted and prohibited firearms today:  
<http://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/cfp-pcaf/facts-faits/index-eng.htm#b>

All I was asking for were copies of records showing how these private and personal records of these firearms transfers were destroyed in accordance with the wishes of Parliament. The RCMP would have to keep these records in order to be able to prove they did indeed destroy all long-gun registry records in the event that RCMP Commissioner was called before Parliament to testify and provide evidence of the complete destruction of all long-gun registry records and all connection to the owners of these firearms.

Since filing this ATI Act request we now have evidence from High River, Alberta that the RCMP were in fact using long-gun registry records to complete their searches and seizures of firearms during the June flood. Consequently, it is even more important now that the RCMP produce records proving that they did indeed destroy all the long-gun registry records and all copies of those records in their possession.

Yours sincerely,

[Original signed by]

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# ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT

## Access to Information Request Form

For official use only:

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Federal Government Institution:

RCMP - CANADA FIREARMS CENTRE (AMENDED)

Details regarding the information being sought:

The government has reported that all data in the Long-Gun Registry(LGR) has been destroyed with the exception of LGR data in and for the Province of Quebec. Please provide copies of all reports, correspondence, policies, procedures and any other documentation that would show what happened to all data collected on millions and millions of firearms transfers and transactions since the *Firearms Act* came into effect in 1998.

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

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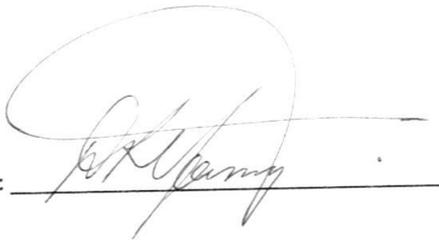
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This request for access to information under the Access to Information Act is being made by:

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

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Date: July 24, 2013