



**BY MAIL**

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Montréal, August 20, 2020

**Objet : Votre demande d'accès à l'information**  
**N/D 032 142 000 / 2020-2021-040D**

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This refers to your access to information request received at our offices on August 3, whereby you wish to obtain:

*"The data for the annual sales of ice cider for the years 2009 to 2019".*

You will find hereafter the annual gross sales for ice cider since 2013. According to our data retention policy, the information before said date is not available.

Ice Cider- Sales						
2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020
5 661 932 \$	5 247 731 \$	4 466 942 \$	3 907 132 \$	3 388 650 \$	2 699 508 \$	2 719 510 \$

We hereby wish to inform you that you may apply for a review of our decision before the Commission d'accès à l'information. You will find attached herewith an explanatory note regarding the exercise of said recourse.

Regards.

Le Responsable adjoint à l'information

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Daniel Collette

## **NOTICE OF RECOURSE**

(Pursuant to a decision rendered in accordance with the *Act respecting Access to documents held by public bodies and the Protection of personal information*)

### **REVIEW**

#### **a) Power**

Article 135 of the Act stipulates that every person whose request has been denied in whole or in part by the person in charge of access to documents or of the protection of personal information may apply to the Commission d'accès à l'information for a review of the decision. An appeal may also be brought for a failure to respond within the applicable time limit.

The application for review must be made in writing; it may state briefly the reasons for which the decision should be reviewed (article 137).

The Commission d'accès à l'information may be reached at the following addresses:

#### **QUEBEC**

Bureau 1.10  
575, rue Saint-Amable  
Quebec (Quebec) G1R 2G4

Phone: (418) 528-7741  
Fax: (418) 529-3102

#### **MONTREAL**

Bureau 18.200  
500, boul. René-Lévesque Ouest  
Montréal (Québec) H2Z 1W7

Phone: (514) 873-4196  
Fax: (514) 844-6170

Toll-free number for both offices: 1 888 528-7741

#### **b) Grounds**

An application for review may be based on grounds pertaining to the decision, the time prescribed for processing the request, the mode of access to a document or information, the fees payable, or the application of Article 9 (personal notes written on a document, sketches, outlines, drafts, preliminary notes or other documents of the same nature which are not deemed to be documents held by a public body).

### **c) Time limit**

The application for review must be made to the Commission d'accès à l'information within thirty (30) days of the date of the decision or of the time granted by the Act to the person in charge for processing a request (Article 135).

The Act specifically provides that the Commission d'accès à l'information may, for any serious reason, release the applicant from a failure to respect the thirty-day time limit (Article 135).

## **APPEAL TO THE COUR DU QUEBEC**

### **a) Power**

Article 147 of the Act stipulates that a person directly concerned may bring an appeal from a decision of the Commission d'accès à l'information before a judge of the Cour du Québec on any question of law or jurisdiction. However, an appeal from an interlocutory decision may only be brought with leave of a judge of the Cour du Québec. The judge shall grant leave if the interlocutory decision will not be remedied by the final decision.

### **b) Time limit**

Under Article 149 of the Act, the motion for leave to appeal must be filed in the office of the Cour du Québec, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the decision of the Commission d'accès à l'information by the parties.

### **c) Procedure**

Under Article 151 of the Act, the notice of appeal must be served on the parties and on the Commission within 10 days after its filing at the office of the Cour du Québec.