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The Information Commissioner of Canada
Place de Ville, Tower B, 7th floor
112 Kent St, Ottawa, K1A 1H3

Dear Ms./Mr.:

As a Canadian citizen, I am making a complaint under the *ATI* Act against the refusal by Library and Archives Canada to process my *ATI* Act request. I attach a copy of the request and response documents.

I requested a document which is a “record” that is under the “control” of a “government institution”, i.e. Library and Archives Canada.. Please see s. 4(1) and 6 of the Act.

As background information to help the investigator: After each Parliament (a Parliament lasts for the time between two general elections), the documents of the House of Commons pertaining to all Bills of the government dealt with by the House during the Parliament that has terminated are sent to Library and Archives of Canada. The documents pertaining to a Bill includes the documents of the legislative Committee of the House that studied the Bill after 2nd reading.

The fact that Library and Archives Canada maintains “an internal service that deals with requests such as” mine (see letter of 21 March 2012) does not preclude the application of the *ATI* Act by that government institution..

Do not hesitate to communicate with me. Thank you

Sincerely,

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François Lareau