

NOTE:

The exemptions in Section 21 of the Act DO NOT APPLY in respect of:

- a. an account of, or a statement of the reasons for, a decision made in the exercise of a discretionary power or in the exercise of an adjudicative function affecting the rights of a person; or
- b. a report prepared by a consultant or adviser who was not, at the time the report was prepared, an officer or employee of a government institution.

and the record came into existence less than 20 years prior to the request:

- a. advice or recommendations developed by or for a government institution or a Minister of the Crown;
- b. an account of consultations or deliberations involving officials or employees of a government institution, a Minister of the Crown or the staff of a Minister of the Crown;
- c. positions or plans developed for the purpose of negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the Government of Canada and considerations relating thereto; or
- d. plans relating to the management of personnel or the administration of a government institution that have not yet been put into operation.

13. Section 22  
Testing Procedures

13. Disclosure MAY BE REFUSED if the record requested contains information relating to testing or auditing procedures or techniques or details of specific tests to be given or audits to be conducted if disclosure would prejudice the use or results of particular tests or audits.

14. Section 23  
Solicitor-Client Privilege

14. Disclosure MAY BE REFUSED if the record requested contains information that is subject to solicitor-client privilege.