



March 5, 2026

Mr. Dana-Lee MELFI  
5477 Matawatchan Road  
Griffith, Ontario K0J 2R0

Dear Mr. MELFI:

This is in response to your request under the *Privacy Act*, which was received by this office on May 14, 2025, to obtain:

*On February 19th 2022 Dana-lee Melfi was arrested by Officer #57914 on Wellington Street Ottawa Ontario and was only found out through LECA complaint E-202410211407481365. Before this complaint Dana-lee had gone to court for a 4 day trial that in disclosure said arrest was made by Ottawa Police. Since being arrested and conditions placed the protest has been court ruled legal. The Emergencies ACT Measures were found to be unconstitutional and illegal. For these reasons I request under Officer #57914:*

- 1. Operation name and file # 57914 was operating under on 2022-02-19*
- 2. Files, notes, video, regarding Dana-lee Melfi from Officer #57914 and attached operations.*
- 3. All disclosure provided to Ottawa Police for charges relating to Officer #57914 arrest of Dana-lee Melfi*
- 4. The arrest was made while being filmed from citizen camera for citizen safety and tourism OTT00029875.0001-01 that RCMP used in Officer #57914 Operation and is evidence in Dana-lee Melfi arrest. RCMP have already lied under ATIP ACT request A-2023-16759 and said "Unable to locate" even though the RCMP Commissioner under oath has said, had access to said camera.*
- 5. Any and all information concerning Dana-lee Melfi within the dates provided within RCMP.  
From 2022-01-25 to 2022-03-25*

Based on the information provided, a thorough search for records was conducted and enclosed is a copy of the only information that could be located which is Sgt. Mathieu Castonguay's notebook entry from that day. The record is currently only available in French; however, we could have that portion translated should you request that we do so.

Please note that personal information about the member has been exempted pursuant to section 26 of the Act. More information on the exemption applied can be found in the Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat publication **Privacy Act: Plain Language Guide to Exemptions and Exclusions** at the following address:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/treasury-board-secretariat/services/access-information-privacy/plain-language-guide.html>

Please be advised that you are entitled to lodge a complaint with the Privacy Commissioner concerning the processing of your request. In the event you decide to avail yourself of this right, your notice of complaint should be addressed to:

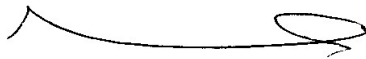
Office of the Privacy Commissioner of Canada  
30 Victoria Street, 1st Floor  
Gatineau, Quebec K1A 1H3

Additional information on the complaint process can be found at the following link:  
<https://www.priv.gc.ca/en/report-a-concern/file-a-formal-privacy-complaint/>

In accordance with subsection 12(2) of the *Act*, you are entitled to request correction of your personal information. To do so, complete the form found at: <https://www.canada.ca/en/treasury-board-secretariat/corporate/forms/350-11.html>, and send it to the Access to Information and Privacy office at the address below.

Should you wish to discuss this matter further, you may contact Monique McCulloch at 343-574-7255 or [Monique.McCulloch@rcmp-grc.gc.ca](mailto:Monique.McCulloch@rcmp-grc.gc.ca). Please quote our file number appearing on this letter.

Regards,



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