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## Freedom of Information Publication Coversheet

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Information to be published	Status
1. Access application	Published
2. Decision notice	Published
3. Documents and schedule	N/A
4. Additional information identified	No
5. Fees	N/A
6. Processing time (in working days)	18
7. Decision made by Ombudsman	N/A
8. Additional information identified by Ombudsman	N/A
9. Decision made by ACAT	N/A
10. Additional information identified by ACAT	N/A

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Please find online enquiry details below. Please ensure this enquiry is responded to within fourteen working days.

#### Your details

**All fields are optional, however an email address OR full postal address must be provided for us to process your request. An email address and telephone contact number will assist us to contact you quickly if we need to discuss your request.**

Title:

First Name:

Last Name:

Business/Organisation:

Address:

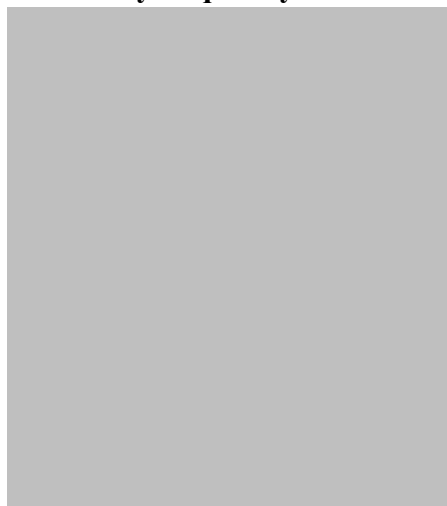
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State/Territory:

Phone/mobile:

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## Request for information

**(Please provide as much detail as possible, for example subject matter and relevant dates, and also provide details of documents that you are not interested in.)**

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2016 I want to access the following document/s (\*required field):

All correspondence between the ACT Government Solicitors Office, [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], between 21 October 2022 and 18 November 2022 in relation to a Freedom of Information request by [REDACTED] dated 21 October 2022.

I do not want to access the following documents in relation to my request::

Thank you.  
Freedom of Information Coordinator



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## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST**

I refer to your application under section 30 of the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (the Act), received by the Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate (CMTEDD) on 21 November 2022.

Specifically, you sought: *All correspondence between the ACT Government Solicitors Office, [REDACTED], between 21 October 2022 and 18 November 2022 in relation to a Freedom of Information request by [REDACTED] dated 21 October 2022.*

### **Authority**

I am an Information Officer appointed by the Director-General under section 18 of the Act to deal with access applications made under Part 5 of the Act.

### **Timeframes**

In accordance with section 40 of the Act, CMTEDD was required to provide a decision on your access application by 19 December 2022.

### **Decision on access**

A search of CMTEDD records has failed to identify any documentation in relation to your request. The search was conducted using the information you provided.

I am satisfied that appropriate searches were completed and that no information relevant to your request is held by CMTEDD.

### **Charges**

Pursuant to *Freedom of Information (Fees) Determination 2017 (No 2)* processing charges are not applicable for this request because no information is available to be released to you.

### **Online publishing – Disclosure Log**

Under section 28 of the Act, CMTEDD maintains an online record of access applications called a disclosure log. A description of your access application and my decision will be

published on the CMTEDD disclosure log. Your personal contact details will not be published.

You may view the disclosure log at <https://www.cmtedd.act.gov.au/functions/foi>.

### **Ombudsman Review**

My decision on your access request is a reviewable decision as identified in Schedule 3 of the Act. Should you wish to apply for a review, we recommend using this form [Applying for an Ombudsman Review](#) to ensure you provide all of the required information.

Alternatively, you may write to the Ombudsman:

The ACT Ombudsman  
GPO Box 442  
CANBERRA ACT 2601

Via email: [actfoi@ombudsman.gov.au](mailto:actfoi@ombudsman.gov.au)

### **ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal (ACAT) Review**

Under section 84 of the Act, if a decision is made under section 82(1) on an Ombudsman review, you may apply to the ACAT for review of the Ombudsman decision. Further information may be obtained from the ACAT:

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal  
Level 4, 1 Moore St  
GPO Box 370  
Canberra City ACT 2601  
Telephone: (02) 6207 1740  
<http://www.acat.act.gov.au/>

Should you have any queries in relation to your request please contact me by telephone on 6207 7754 or email [CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au](mailto:CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au).

Yours sincerely,



Katharine Stuart  
Information Officer  
Information Management  
Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate  
15 December 2022