



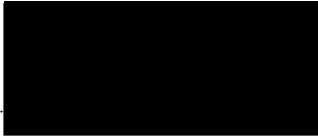
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Dear 

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 1998

I refer to your letter received 10 May 2014 by the Commerce and Works Directorate and based on further correspondence received 10 June 2014 I extract that you are seeking access, under the *ACT Freedom of Information Act 1989* (FOI Act), to documents, after re-scoping, relating to:

“....all completed speeches prepared by the Directorate for use in debates, speeches and presentations in the Legislative Assembly by MLAs. I request all documents since November 2012.”

I have interpreted the new scope not to include contributions and input to speeches in which other Directorates were the lead as we do not have access to final completed records.

I am the officer authorised under section 22 of the FOI Act to make a decision in relation to your request.

Decision

I have located the following documents which have been referred to in your request:

- Folios 1 – 32 which are all completed speeches prepared by the Commerce and Works Directorate for use in debates, speeches and presentations in the Legislative Assembly by MLAs since 2012 which are fully released.

These represent completed speeches as provided to the Ministers Office and does not include any changes that potentially may have been made by Minister.

Right of Review

My decision is reviewable under section 59 of the FOI Act. If you wish to seek an internal review you should write to:

Under Treasurer
Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate
GPO Box 158
Canberra ACT 2601

You have 28 days from the receipt of the response in which to lodge your request.

You also have the right to contact the Ombudsman about the processing of your request pursuant to section 54 of the FOI Act. If you wish to lodge a complaint you should write to:

The Ombudsman
GPO Box 442
Canberra ACT 2601

Should you have any queries about your request please contact Commerce and Works' FOI Coordinator on 02 620 53955.


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Under this policy personal information or business affairs information will not be made available. A copy of the policy, with details about what information may be published on the internet, is available online at:

http://www.cmd.act.gov.au/open_government/report/freedom_of_information_online

Yours sincerely


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