

Freedom of Information Publication Coversheet

The following information is provided pursuant to section 28 of the *Freedom of Information Act 2016*.

FOI Reference: CMTEDDFOI 2022-212

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)	1
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

From:
To:

CMTEDD FOI

Subject: FOI Request: Answers to the Questions on Notice

Date: Tuesday, 19 July 2022 9:39:35 AM

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Hello

I request under the ACT Freedom of Information the following....

Answers to the Questions on Notice from the ACT Legislative Assembly.

The following questions are all from 2022.

- Question 850 from Ms Clay
- Question 779 from Ms Castley
- Question 782 from Ms Clay

Thank you.

Regards



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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 19 July 2022, in which you sought access to:

- Answers to the Questions on Notice from the ACT Legislative Assembly.
- Question 850 from Ms Clay, Question 779 from Ms Castley, Question 782 from Ms Clay.

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 is required to provide a decision on your access application by 16 August 2022.

Decision on access

I have decided to refuse to deal with your application under section 43(1)(d) as questions 779 and 782 are publicly available from from the Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory webpage for Hansard at

https://www.hansard.act.gov.au/hansard/2022/pdfs/220609.pdf.

In relation to question 850, this answer has yet to be published. The Office of the Legislative Assembly (OLA) is the most appropriate agency to provide you with an update as to when this will be published. They can be contacted at ola@parliament.act.gov.au.

Charges

Processing charges are not applicable for this request because no documents are being 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 the access application and my decision will be published in the CMTEDD disclosure log. Your personal contact details will not be published. You may view CMTEDD 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. You have the right to seek Ombudsman review of this outcome under section 73 of the Act within 20 working days from the day that my decision is published in CMTEDD disclosure log, or a longer period allowed by the Ombudsman.

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 at:

The ACT Ombudsman GPO Box 442 CANBERRA ACT 2601

Via email: 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 at:

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Level 4, 1 Moore St GPO Box 370 Canberra City ACT 2601 Telephone: (02) 6207, 1740

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.

Yours sincerely,

Katharine Stuart

Information Officer

Information Access Team

Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate

19 July 2022