

16 March 2016

Dear 

I refer to your application received by the Canberra Institute of Technology (CIT) on 15 February 2016 in which you sought access under the ACT Freedom of Information Act 1989 (the Act) to documents referencing the ASQA audit of CIT.

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

The attached schedule (Attachment A) lists all relevant documentation and my decision on each. Also attached are copies of all documents listed in the schedule that have been released in response to your request. Documents containing personal details have been redacted and/or withheld as outlined below.

Exemptions to personal information have been made under section 41(1) *A document is an exempt document if its disclosure under this Act would involve the unreasonable disclosure of personal information about any person (including a deceased person).*


I have also deferred the release of two versions of a document provided by ASQA. They are withheld under section 20(1 b) of the Act. I can inform you that the document is expected to be tabled in the Legislative Assembly before 31 May 2016 within the terms of recommendations made by the Standing Committee on Education, Training and Youth Affairs.

The Act provides for decisions to be reviewed in some circumstances. The review and appeal process is explained for your information at Attachment B.

You will also have been advised that Education and Training Directorate referred the information they held on this matter for inclusion in this request. The documents they provided are at Attachment C.

If you have any queries in relation to this matter please contact the FOI coordinator on 6207 3104.

Yours sincerely


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