

Freedom of Information Publication Coversheet

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

FOI Reference: CMTEDDFOI 2023-344

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)	23
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: CMTEDD FOI To:

Cc: CMTEDD FOI

Subject: CMTEDDFOI 2023-344 - FOI Request

Date: Tuesday, 26 September 2023 3:03:28 PM

OFFICIAL

Good afternoon

CMTEDD FOI has accepted transfer of this one as at today's date.

Kind regards

Emma

Emma Hotham (she/her) | Director, Freedom of Information

Phone: 02 6207 0811 | emma.hotham@act.gov.au

Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate | ACT Government

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From: JACS FOI <JACSFOI@act.gov.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 26 September 2023 1:16 PM
To: CMTEDD FOI <CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au>
Cc: Hotham, Emma <Emma.Hotham@act.gov.au>

Subject: FW: FOI Request

OFFICIAL

Good afternoon Emma

As discussed, please see below email chain. Could you please confirm CMTEDD accepts transfer?

Please feel free to contact me if I can be of any assistance.

Kind regards

Angelique Delahaye I Assistant Director – Freedom of Information
Governance, Coordination and Reporting I Justice and Community Safety Directorate

6205 9975 I angelique.delahaye@act.gov.au | GPO Box 158, Canberra ACT 2601

From:

Sent: Tuesday, 26 September 2023 9:17 AM

To: JACS FOI < JACSFOI@act.gov.au >

Subject: RE: FOI Request

Dear Angelique,

Thank you for bringing this to my attention – this was a mistake on our end, and this request was

indeed intended to be sent to CMTEDD FOI. Would it be best if we submitted a new FOI request to CMTEDD, or would it be preferable for your team at JACS to reroute it? Thank you, and apologies for the confusion.

Kind regards,



From: JACS FOI < JACSFOI@act.gov.au >

Sent: Thursday, 21 September 2023 4:10 PM

To

Subject: RE: FOI Request

OFFICIAL

Good afternoon

Just checking if this request was intended to be sent to CMTEDD FOI?

Kind regards

Angelique Delahaye I Assistant Director – Freedom of Information
Governance, Coordination and Reporting I Justice and Community Safety Directorate

6205 9975 I https://doi.org/10.1007/10.100

From:

Sent: Thursday, 21 September 2023 4:02 PM

To: JACS FOI < JACSFOI@act.gov.au >

Subject: FOI Request

Good afternoon,

I write to request, under the Freedom of Information Act 2016, copies

Any correspondence between the Chief Minister's Office and Attorney-General's Office between 1 January 2018 and 30 January 2019 regarding the appointment of Shane Drumgold as ACT DPP.

Thank you again for all your help on the phone earlier.

Kind regards,

of the following documents:



Our ref: CMTEDDFOI 2023-344



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 26 September 2023.

Specifically, you are seeking:

Any correspondence between the Chief Minister's Office and Attorney-General's
 Office between 1 January 2018 and 30 January 2019 regarding the appointment of
 Shane Drumgold as ACT DPP.

Authority

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

Timeframes

In accordance of section 40 of the Act, CMTEDD was required to provide a decision on your access application by 8 November 2023.

Decision on access

A search of ministerial office 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 documents relevant to your request are held.

Charges

Processing charges are not applicable for this request.

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 after 2 November 2023. 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 <u>Applying for an Ombudsman Review</u> 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 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.

Yours sincerely,

Emma Hotham

EH

Information Officer

Information Access Team

Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate

30 October 2023