

# **Freedom of Information Publication Coversheet**

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

FOI Reference: CMTEDDFOI 2018-0015

Information to be published	Status
1. Access application	Published
2. Decision notice	Published
3. Documents and schedule	No documents found
4. Additional information identified	No
5. Fees	N/A
6. Processing time (in working days)	16
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:

**Sent:** Tuesday, 23 January 2018 4:26 PM **To:** EPSDFOI < EPSDFOI@act.gov.au> **Subject:** Freedom of information

To whom it may concern

Under the Freedom of Information Act I request documents which show the following:

- The executive summaries of all investigation reports held by the directorate concerning building certifiers in the ACT, produced since 1 January 2015
- The findings/ results/ conclusions (or similar) sections of each of these reports
- The recommendations sections (or similar) of each of these reports

Please forward this request on if this is not the best directorate to deal with it.

I am happy to revise the scope of this request if it covers a large number of documents. I wish to receive these documents electronically to this email address.

#### Cheers



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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 25 January 2018, in which you sought access to executive summaries of reports.

Specifically, you are seeking: "The executive summaries of all investigation reports held by the directorate concerning building certifiers in the ACT, produced since 1 January 2015, including the findings/ results/ conclusions (or similar) sections of each of these reports and the recommendations sections (or similar) of each of these reports."

#### 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**

CMTEDD was required to provide a decision on your access application by 23 February 2018.

#### **Decision on access**

A search of CMTEDD records has been unable to identify any documentation in relation to your request. The search was conducted using the information you provided, including keywords 'investigation', 'report' and the critical timeframe of 1 January 2015 onwards.

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

### Charges

Pursuant to *Freedom of Information (Fees) Determination 2017 (No 2)* processing charges are not applicable for this request because the total number of pages to be released to you is below the charging threshold of 50 pages.

## Online publishing - Disclosure Log

Under section 28 of the Act, CMTEDD maintains an online record of access applications called a disclosure log. Your original access application and my decision in response to your access application will be published in the CMTEDD disclosure log despite there being no documents relevant to your request.

#### **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.

If you wish to request a review of my decision you may write to the Ombudsman at:

The ACT Ombudsman GPO Box 442 CANBERRA ACT 2601

Via email: ombudsman@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
<a href="http://www.acat.act.gov.au/">http://www.acat.act.gov.au/</a>

Should you have any queries in relation to your request please contact me by telephone on 6207 7754 or email <a href="mailto:CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au">CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au</a>.

Yours sincerely,

Daniel Riley

Information Officer

Information Access Team

Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate

15 February 2018