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Freedom of Information Publication Coversheet

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

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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)	20
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: [REDACTED]
To: [CMTEDD FOI](#)
Subject: Civic pool documents
Date: Friday, 3 September 2021 12:11:27 PM

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Hello,

This is a request under the FOI Act.

Can you please provide all reports, analysis and briefs about redevelopment or heritage listing of the Civic Pool site drafted since September 1, 2020, and the meeting minutes and email correspondence (including attachments) relating to these documents.

Thanks very much!

Regards,

[REDACTED]



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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 3 September 2021, in which you sought access to reports, analysis and briefs about redevelopment or heritage listing of the Civic Pool.

Specifically, you are seeking: “...all reports, analysis and briefs about redevelopment or heritage listing of the Civic Pool site drafted since September 1, 2020, and the meeting minutes and email correspondence (including attachments) relating to these documents”

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 was required to provide a decision on your access application by 1 October 2021.

Decision on access

A search of CMTEDD records has failed to identify any documentation in relation to your request. The search was conducted using the information you provided. We also consulted Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate (EPSDD) as they are responsible for Heritage listing and Major Projects Canberra (MPC) who handle major projects around the city.

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 folio's 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. A description of the access application and my decision will be

published in the CMTEDD disclosure between 3-10 days after the decision. 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
<http://www.acat.act.gov.au/>

Should you have any queries in relation to your request please contact me by telephone on 0262077754 or email CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,



Katharine Stuart

Information Officer, Information Access Team
Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate

30 September 2021