

Freedom of Information Publication Coversheet

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

FOI Reference: CMTEDDFOI 2019-202

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

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То:	CMTEDD FOI
Subject:	Request Under the ACT Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2016
Date:	Friday, 6 September 2019 9:59:47 AM
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Good Morning Freedom of Information Coordinator

Request Under the ACT Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2016

A list of all Ministers' attendance to professional or non-professional women's sporting events and professional or non-professional men's sporting events – as listed in the ministerial diaries disclosure for the previous 12 months.

Kind regards



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Our ref: CMTEDDFOI 2019-202

via email:		

Dear

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 6 September 2019, in which you are seeking access to:

A list of all Ministers' attendance to professional or non-professional women's sporting events and professional or non-professional men's sporting events – as listed in the ministerial diaries disclosure for the previous 12 months.

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 of section 40 of the Act, CMTEDD is required to provide a decision on your access application by 4 October 2019.

Decision on access

I have decided to refuse to deal with your application under section 43(1)(d), which states:

 A respondent may refuse to deal with an access application wholly or in part only if—

(d) the government information is already available to the applicant (see section 45).

The information you are seeking is available on the ACT Government Open Access Information site. You can access it using the following link:

https://www.act.gov.au/open-access/ministers-information/ministerial-diaries-disclosure

Charges

Processing charges are not applicable for this request because no pages 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 3 days after the date of my decision. Your personal contact details will not be published. You may view the CMTEDD disclosure log at https://www.cmtedd.act.gov.au/functions/foi/disclosure-log.

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 a review by the Ombudsman of this outcome under section 73 of the Act within 20 working days from the day that my decision is published in the 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: <u>actfoi@ombudsman.gov.au</u>

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal (ACAT) Review

Under section 84 of the Act, if a decision by the Ombudsman under section 82(1), you may apply to the ACAT for a 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 6207 7754 or by email on <u>CMTEDDFOI@act.gov.au</u>.

Yours sincerely,

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

16 September 2019