

(Ref: HACT 18/10)

## s41 FOI Act 1989

Dear s41 FOI Act 1989

I refer to your application under the *Freedom of Information Act 1989* (FOI Act), section 14, received by the Community Services Directorate on 14 September 2017, in which you requested the following documents:

I would like access to: "a previous FOI request from 2014 was for "Stock by Suburb" of public housing stock. It was processed on 4 July 2014... reference 14-125. I request the information from that FOI release to be updated to the most current data please"

Under the FOI Act, section 22, I am an officer authorised to make a decision in respect of a request for information.

## Decision

Please find attached a copy of the report on Stock by Suburb for the period 30 June 2014-30 June 2017. As the report does not contain information that may be prevented from release under the provisions of the FOI ACT, it is my decision to release this to you in full.

I note in your email correspondence of 14 September 2017, you were unable to locate a copy of the FOI reference no. 14-125, on the "Open Government" website. I can confirm this information was released online on 24 August 2014.

The online reference number and title for this request is:

CSD27082014\_0023 — Housing ACT vacancy statistics.

Alternatively, the link below will take you directly to this request on the "Open Government" website.

<u>Housing ACT vacancy statistics - Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development</u> Directorate

## **Review rights**

My decision is reviewable under the Act. This means that if you are dissatisfied with this outcome you have a right to seek a review under section 59 of the Act. This right of review extends to a review of the adequacy of the search for documents undertaken by the Directorate. If you wish to seek a review you should write to:

Deputy Director-General Community Services Directorate GPO Box 158 CANBERRA ACT 2601

You have 28 days from the day you receive this notification to seek a review of the outcome or such other period as the Deputy Director-General permits.

Under section 54 of the Act, if you are concerned about the processing of your request or related administrative matters, you may make a complaint to the Ombudsman, who may conduct an independent investigation into your complaint. There is no fee for this, and the contact details are as follows:

The Ombudsman GPO Box 442 CANBERRA ACT 2601

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Please note that personal information will not be made available under this policy and the information contained in your response will not be published.

A copy of the policy, with details about what information may be published on the internet, is available online at: <a href="http://www.cmd.act.gov.au/open government">http://www.cmd.act.gov.au/open government</a>.

If you have any queries in relation to this matter, please contact Ms Lisa Guteridge, Senior Freedom of Information Officer on 6205 3296.

Yours sincerely

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**Housing ACT** 

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