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21IS/00271

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Dear Mr Boyer

APPLICATION UNDER THE *FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 1991*

I refer to your application made under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (the FOI Act) dated 10 March 2021 seeking access to:

“Source document/s (report, briefing, minute) for the 33,000 figure stated commencements from 30 June 2018 to 31 January 2021.”

A search for documents held by the Minister for Innovation and Skills was undertaken for the period 30 June 2018 to 10 March 2021, and two documents were identified within the scope of your application.

Document 1 contains speaking notes prepared for use in Parliament. Under Schedule 1 clause 17 the FOI act states the following:-

A document is an exempt document if it contains matter the public disclosure of which would, but for any immunity of the Crown –

(C) infringe the privilege of Parliament.

I have reviewed this document and determined to refuse access in accordance with clause 17 (c) Schedule 1 of the FO Act as the content is a privilege of Parliament

Document 2 was specifically prepared for submission to Cabinet. Under Schedule 1 Part 1 Clause 1 of the FOI act states the following: -

A document is an exempt document-

(a) if it is a document that has been specifically prepared for submission to Cabinet (whether or not is has been submitted)

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I have reviewed this document and determined to refuse access in accordance with Part 1 clause 1 (1)(a) Schedule 1 of the FO Act as the content has been specifically prepared for Cabinet.

A document schedule and extract from the FOI Act is attached for your reference.

Right to internal review

If you are aggrieved with this determination, you have a right to apply for internal review under subsection 29(1) of the Act. Your review rights can be found by visiting the State Records website at <https://archives.sa.gov.au>. Pursuant to subsection 29(2), your application must be received within 30 days after the day on which you receive this letter or within such further time as the Principal Officer may allow.

If you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact me on telephone 8303 2550 or via email officeofministerpisoni@sa.gov.au

No fees and charges have been raised for the management of this application

Yours sincerely

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Franca Bergamaschi
Accredited FOI Officer

6/4/2021



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

DOCUMENT SCHEDULE

Agency: Office of the Hon David Pisoni MP, Minister for Innovation and Skills

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Doc No	Brief Description	Date of Document	Released (Full/Part/Refused)	Exemption Clauses
1	Parliamentary Briefing Note	9/03/2021	Refused	Clause 17(c) Documents subject to contempt
2	Skills Monthly Report February 2021	February 2021	Refused	Clause 1(1)(a) Cabinet documents