



Via email: 

Dear 

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) REQUEST

I refer to your application under section 30 of the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (the FOI Act), received by the Education Directorate (the Directorate) on 28 February 2023, in which you are seeking:

A copy of the 2022 school satisfaction and climate survey results for Telopea Park School, including the results for each question and the comparison with other P-10 schools

I am an Information Officer appointed by the Director-General under section 18 of the FOI Act to deal with access applications made under Part 5 of the FOI Act.

The Directorate was required to provide a decision on your access application by 29 March 2023.

Decision on access

Searches were completed for relevant records and information was identified that falls within the scope of your request. This has been extracted from a system in the form of six records.

I have included as Attachment A to this decision the schedule of relevant records. This provides a description of each record that falls within the scope of your request and the access decision for each of those records.

I have decided to grant full access to all records.

The records released to you are provided as Attachment B to this letter.

Additional information

It may assist your consideration of the records released to be aware that there are two parts to the survey. The first is a school climate module that forms part of a longitudinal study conducted in partnership with researchers at the Australian National University. School climate focuses on issues such as school identification and relationships. The second part measures general satisfaction.

Charges

Processing charges are not applicable for this request because the number of pages released does not exceed the threshold of 50 pages set at section 104(4) of the FOI Act.

Online publishing – disclosure log

Under section 28 of the Act, the Directorate maintains an online record of access applications called a disclosure log. Information about your request, my decision and records released to you in response to your access application will be published in the Directorate's disclosure log between three and 10 working days after a decision on access has been provided to you. Your personal information will not be published.

Ombudsman review

My decision on your access request is a reviewable decision as identified in Schedule 3 of the FOI Act. You have the right to seek Ombudsman review of this outcome under section 73 of the FOI Act within 20 working days from the day that my decision is published in the Directorate's 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

Email: actfoi@ombudsman.gov.au

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal (ACAT) review

Under section 84 of the FOI 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/>

If you have any queries concerning the Directorate's processing of your request, please contact the Directorate's FOI team on 02 6205 0720 or email EducationFOI@act.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Paula Murray
Information Officer
27 March 2023