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OFFICE OF THE TREASURER

FOI ref: 3290

14 March 2023

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Dear H

I acknowledge receipt of your request on 25 January 2023, under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982 (FOI Act)*, in the following terms:

I seek access to any communication (including emails, whatsapp, signal, sms or other communication regardless of platform) on 1 March 2023 between the Treasurer (or his office) and the Prime Minister (or his office) in relation to:

- 1. the Capital Gain Tax exemption on the family home (otherwise known as a person's principal place of residence)*
- 2. the Treasurer's interview on Channel 7 Sunrise program on 1 March 2023.*

As noted above, this request is limited to documents between the Treasurer/Treasurer's office and the PM/PMO sent or received on 1 March 2023.

The FOI Act provides that we have 30 days to process the request. This period may be extended if we need to consult third parties or for other reasons. We will advise you if this happens.

We will advise you if a charge is payable to process your request and the amount of any such charge as soon as possible.

We make the following assumptions that affect the scope of the request. These are set out below.

It is our usual practice:

- not to disclose the personal information of government employees or the personal contact details of senior government employees (including those of the Treasury). The names of senior officers will generally be released.
- not to release duplicates of any document captured within the scope of the request.
- only the final version of a document will be considered within scope.

Please inform us if you do not agree to the request being processed on the above assumptions. If we do not hear from you, your request will be processed on the basis that these documents are outside the scope of your request.

We will contact you using the email address you provided. Please advise if you would prefer us to use an alternative means of contact.

If you have questions in relation to your request, please contact Treasury's FOI Team on 02 6263 2800.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Crawford', written in a cursive style.

Claudia Crawford
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Office of the Treasurer, the Hon Jim Chalmers MP