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By email: foi+request-10476-01e620d3@righttoknow.org.au

Dear Alex Pentland

Freedom of Information (FOI) Request 23-24-01

The purpose of this letter is to give you a decision about access to documents that you requested under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (FOI Act).

Summary

I, Nicole Pearson, am an officer under section 23(1) of the FOI Act to make decisions in relation to FOI request.

You requested access to documents relating to the Independent Parliamentary Expenses Authority (IPEA) on 15 May 2023. Specifically, you sought access to:

"..the flights, origins and destinations, dates and costs related to all airfares booked for Senator Babet since 21 May 2022"

Decision and reasons for decision

I undertook a comprehensive search of IPEA's electronic expense management system and extracted the data that fell within the scope of your request.

I have created an Excel spreadsheet which contains the details of the flights (including origins, destinations, dates and costs) for Senator Ralph Babet identified for the period in scope.

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Questions about this decision

If you wish to discuss this decision, please contact me using the details below:

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Yours sincerely

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Attachments

Attachment A: Review Rights

Attachment B: Document