Australian Capital Territory Government Solicitor



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Dear Karen

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) REQUEST

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of the access application made by you under the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (**FOI Act**) received by the ACT Government Solicitor (**ACTGS**) on 12 September 2023. This application requests access to:

"1. Expenditure on Counsel/Barrister attendance at ACAT matters under the Construction Occupations (Licensing) Act 2004, from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023; and

2. Expenditure on expert witness attendance at ACAT matters under the Construction Occupations (Licensing) Act 2004 from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023; and

3. Expenditure on expert reports in regard to matters under the Construction Occupations (Licensing) Act 2004 from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023; and

4. Total expenditure in relation to all matters under the Construction Occupations (Licensing) Act 2004 from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023."

The ACTGS is processing your request and in accordance with section 40 of the Act, we are required to provide you with a decision on the information sought on or before 11 October 2023.

If you have any questions in relation to your access application or the above, please contact this office on (02) 6207 0666 or email <u>ACTGSO@act.gov.au</u>.

Yours sincerely

ACT Government Solicitor's Office