8 August 2016

Chris Mathews

Via email only: foi+request-2096-a437be90@righttoknow.org.au

Dear Mr Mathews

Freedom of Information Request No.16-21

I refer to your request for access to documents relating to Sandor Earl's appearance on the NRL Footy Show under the Freedom of Information Act 1982. I have taken your request to be for:

 Documents and/or correspondence including emails, file notes, briefing and phone records exchanged between a member of ASADA and any Nine Network employee, or relevant production company, between the dates of 29 August 2016 and 27 September 2013 that relate to or discuss Sandor Earl's appearance and interview on the NRL Footy Show, aired on 26 September 2013.

If you believe that the scope of your request has not been interpreted correctly please advise the contact officer on the details outlined at the conclusion of this letter.

We received your request on Thursday 4 August 2016 and the 30 day statutory period for processing your request commenced from the day after that date. You should therefore expect a decision from us by *Monday 5 September 2016*. The period of 30 days may be extended if we need to consult third parties, impose a charge or for other reasons. We will advise you if this happens.

You will be notified of any charges in relation to your request as soon as possible, before we process any requested documents or impose a final charge.

Please note that information released under the FOI Act may later be published online on our disclosure log subject to certain exceptions. (For example, personal information will not be published where this would be unreasonable).

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 any questions, please contact the following officer:

Patrick Dale

Lawyer

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Yours sincerely

Patrick Dale