

Ref: 001/2016

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Mr Dan Monceaux
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Dear Mr Monceaux

RE: RECEIPT OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION APPLICATION

I acknowledge receipt of your application made under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (FOI Act) seeking access to:

- *Digital copies of cetacean stranding event and necropsy reports associated with the following two incidents: the stranding of a southern right whale carcass at Point Bolingbroke, Eyre Peninsula (August 2013) and the stranding of a pod of female sperm whales near Ardrossan, Yorke Peninsula (December 2014).*

Your application was received by this Office on 14 September 2016 and is currently being processed in accordance with the FOI Act.

This agency is obliged to deal with your application within 30 calendar days of receipt. If you are dissatisfied with the decision regarding your application, or you do not receive a response within 30 calendar days of the agency's receipt of your application, you have the right to apply for an internal review. Your internal review application should be lodged within 30 calendar days after the day you receive your determination, or if you have not received a response, 30 calendar days after the determination due date.

I enclose a copy of your Rights to Review and Appeal which explains your review options.

If at any time you are dissatisfied with the way your request is being handled by this agency, you may contact the State Ombudsman at www.ombudsman.sa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Francesca Zilio
ACCREDITED FOI OFFICER

Attached

- Rights to Review and Appeal form