

7 November 2016



Australian  
Broadcasting  
Corporation

Mr Ben Fairless

**Corporate Affairs**

ABC Ultimo Centre  
700 Harris Street  
Ultimo NSW 2007

GPO Box 9994  
Sydney NSW 2001

Tel. +61 2 8333 5261  
abc.net.au

By email: [foi+request-2593-330a1e08@righttoknow.org.au](mailto:foi+request-2593-330a1e08@righttoknow.org.au)

Dear Mr Fairless

**FOI REQUEST – REFERENCE NUMBER 2016-031**

I refer to your request for access to documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the FOI Act) in your email of 2 November 2016. Specifically, you have sought access to the following documents:

*“A copy of the current FOI delegations, and any related directions issued in respect of FOI.”*

I confirm that the 30-day statutory period for processing your request commenced from the day after your application was received, being 3 November 2016.

Subject to any suspension of the processing period or extension of the time for deciding this application, the ABC is required to make a determination in relation to this application by 2 December 2016. Please note that processing charges may be imposed and that consultation with third parties may be required. If it is necessary to seek agreement to pay charges or to consult with third parties, additional processing time is provided under the FOI Act. You will be advised of any charges as well as any need to consult third parties in relation to your request.

Please note that the ABC is required by the FOI Act to publish decisions and accessed information on its website within 10 working days after the release of the documents to the FOI applicant.

You should also be aware that by making an FOI request, you may be providing personal information to the ABC. The ABC will manage any such information in accordance with the ABC's Privacy Policy. Details of that policy are available on the ABC's website: <http://about.abc.net.au/abc-privacy-policy/>. Please note that personal information (such as your name) may be disclosed in the course of processing this request, for instance for the purposes of consultation or internal reporting.

We will consider your request and you will be provided with a decision as soon as practicable.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Juliana Walsh', followed by a long horizontal flourish.

**Juliana Walsh**

Corporate Compliance Coordinator