

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION — AUTHORISATION TO SENIOR OFFICER OF THE DEPARTMENT

Instrument Number 26 of 2015

Made under the Freedom of Information Act 1982, section 10A

1 Name of Instrument

This instrument is Instrument Number 26 of 2015.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day it is made.

3 Revocation

I revoke Instrument Number 41 of 2013 made on 22 November 2013.

4 Authorisation

I authorise any person who from time to time occupies, holds or performs the duties of the position of a Branch Manager, Legal Services Group in the Department, to exercise my powers and functions under Part II of the *Freedom of Information Act 1982*, as specified in Schedule 1 to this instrument.

Finn Pratt Secretary

Department of Social Services

Date: 7 April 2015

Schedule 1

Authorised powers and functions

- 1) Preparation of an agency plan under subsection 8(1)
- 2) Publication of information required to be published by the agency under subsection 8(2)
- 3) Publication of other information by the agency under subsection 8(4)
- 4) Ensuring that information published by the agency is accurate, up-to-date and complete, as required by section 8B
- 5) Publication of information by the agency in accordance with subsections 8D(2) and (3)
- 6) Imposing a charge on a person for accessing information published by the agency and publication of details of any charges the agency may impose under subsections 8D(4) and (5)
- 7) Conduct a review of the operation, in the agency, of the Information Publication Scheme in accordance with section 9.

I certify that this is page 1 of 1 of the Schedule to the Instrument of Delegation Number 26 of 2015 made under the Freedom of Information Act 1982 signed by the Secretary of the Department of Social Services in my presence on 27April 2015.

Witness signature: Convery Witness name: Gas a Murrey