



COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Department of Industry and Science

Authorisation under subsection 23(1) of the *Freedom of Information Act 1982*

I, GLENYS ANN BEAUCHAMP, Secretary of the Department of Industry and Science (the Department) and principal officer of the Department within the meaning of the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* ("the Act"), hereby approve, under subsection 23(1) of the Act, the following arrangements:

- (i) Each person from time to time holding, occupying or performing the duties of an office specified in Part 2 of Schedule 1 to this instrument is authorised to make decisions under the Act on behalf of the Department as specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to this instrument; and
- (ii) Each person from time to time holding, occupying or performing the duties of an office specified in Part 2 of Schedule 2 to this instrument is authorised to make decisions under the Act on behalf of the Department as specified in Part 1 of Schedule 2 to this instrument.

The above arrangements replace the previous arrangements made under subsection 23(1) of the Act authorising the holders of certain positions to make decisions under the Act in respect of a request made to the Department (but excluding IP Australia, the Designs Office, the Patent Office and the Trade Marks Office).

DATED this 18 day of March 2015

GLENYS BEAUCHAMP PSM

Secretary

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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

#### PART 1 - DECISIONS

All decisions in respect of requests made under the Act, including decisions in relation to applications for internal review.

#### PART 2 – OFFICES IN THE DEPARTMENT OR GEOSCIENCE AUSTRALIA

- Deputy Secretary/SES Band 3
- SES Band 2

### SCHEDULE 2

#### PART 1 – DECISIONS

All decisions in respect of requests made under the Act, except decisions in relation to applications for internal review.

#### PART 2 – OFFICES IN THE DEPARTMENT OR GEOSCIENCE AUSTRALIA

- SES Band 1
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