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Department of Agriculture and Water Resources

Ref: FOI 2016/17-62

Mr Jackson Gothe-Snape

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Dear Mr Gothe-Snape

FOI request - decision on access

I refer to your request of 28 March 2017 for access under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (FOI Act) to:

'the topics list for briefs created in preparation for hearings of Senate 2016-17 Additional Estimates.'

Decision and reasons for decision

I am authorised to make decisions under the FOI Act.

I have identified one document relevant to your request and decided to give you access to it. A copy of the document is attached with this decision.

The attached topic list is what the department created for the preparation of the department's appearance at the Senate 2016-17 Additional Estimates held on 28 February 2017.

I have decided there will be no charge for processing the request.

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Yours sincerely

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