



# Department of Justice and Community Safety

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James

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Dear James

## Freedom of Information (FOI reference 100139)

The following is my decision on your request under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the FOI Act).

### Request

The terms of your request are:

*I would like to know how many infringements have been issued under s.28(1) s28(3) of the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012.*

*As per the Consumer Affairs website, "An incorporated association must have a registered address and must notify the Registrar of Consumer Affairs Victoria, in the form approved by the Registrar, within 14 days of any changes".*

### Decision

The department undertook a thorough and diligent search for documents, however the documents you seek do not exist.

Fines and Enforcement Services (FES) advise that there have been no infringements issued under s.28(1) s28(3) of the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012 recorded on their systems.

### Right to Complain to Victorian Information Commissioner

Where no documents have been discovered relevant to your request, under section 61A(1) of the FOI Act you have the right to lodge a complaint in writing with the Victorian Information Commissioner. A complaint must be made within 60 days of the date of this letter. The address for lodgement is:

Freedom of Information - Complaints  
Office of the Victorian Information Commissioner  
PO Box 24274  
MELBOURNE VIC 3001  
Telephone: 1300 00 6842  
Email: [enquiries@ovic.vic.gov.au](mailto:enquiries@ovic.vic.gov.au)  
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If you have any queries, please contact this office by email at [foi@justice.vic.gov.au](mailto:foi@justice.vic.gov.au) or by writing to the mailing address shown at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

*Catherine Castro*

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Freedom of Information Officer