

# Revised Decision –Freedom of Information Request No. LEX3110

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## Your request

On 15 April 2022 you wrote to the Australian Electoral Commission (**AEC**) seeking access under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the FOI Act) to:

- EasyCount Senate NATA Accreditation Report.

While your request was deemed to have been refused on 15 May 2022, I have proceeded to process the application in line with the guidance at paragraph 3.161 of the guidelines issued by the Australian Information Commissioner under section 93A of the FOI Act.

## Revocation of decision given on 9 September 2022

As outlined in my covering letter to this attachment, the decision notified in my letter to you dated 9 September 2022 referred to an irrelevant consideration and accordingly is revoked.

I make the following decision in substitution for that notified in my letter to you dated 9 September 2022.

## Revised decision

### *Identification of Documents*

I identified one document that fell within the scope of your FOI request (the 'Relevant Document'). I did this by contacting the relevant business areas and requesting a copy of all relevant documents.

### *Decision*

With regard to the Relevant Document I have decided:

- (a) that the document is conditionally exempt under section 47E of the FOI Act;
- (b) that it is contrary to the public interest to give access in full to the Relevant Document;
- (c) it is possible and practicable having regard to the resources available to the Australian Electoral Commission to produce an edited copy of the Relevant Document from which exempt material has been redacted; and
- (d) to give you access to the edited copy of the Relevant Document in lieu of the original.

I have directed that an edited version of the Relevant Document be prepared in accordance with my decision.

More information, including my reasons for my decision, is set out in **Attachment B**.

***Review Rights***

You are entitled to seek review of this decision. **Attachment C** sets out your rights to apply for review if you are dissatisfied with my decision.

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End of Attachment A