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Dear Vanessa

## FOI Request: Freedom of Information Request No. LEX3134

### Your FOI Request

On 13 July 2022 you wrote to the Australian Electoral Commission (**AEC**) seeking access under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the FOI Act) to:

*The report from Axiom Associates on the audit they conducted to assess the accuracy of the 2022 Senate scanning and digitisation process.*

### Identification of Documents

I identified two documents that fell within the scope of your FOI Request (the 'Relevant Documents'):

- Draft – Senate assurance detailed report and assurance outcomes
- Draft – Senate collation of Stage 2 assurance exceptions

I did this by contacting the relevant business area and requesting a copy of all relevant documents.

As advised to you previously, the draft report is both the current version and the version that was in existence at the time you made your application.

### Decision

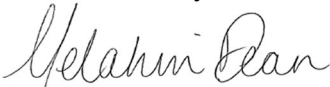
Regarding the Relevant Documents, I have decided to grant access in full. The Relevant Documents are provided as separate attachments to this decision.

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

### Review Rights

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

Yours sincerely



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15 August 2022