

## Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General

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Dear Mr Wakeford

## RE: Application under the Freedom of Information Act 1982 (FOI Act)

I refer to your application of 16 February 2015 in which you make a request under the Commonwealth *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (FOI Act) for:

"...any documents (such as, but not limited to, an itemised bill of materials) relating to the supply of an Apple iPad Air Wifi listed as tender CN2309741 as visible at the Australian Tenders web site:

https://www.tenders.gov.au/?event=public.cn.view&CNUUID=BB52DEA5-DFA1-B2E2-06210DCD06368A42

I believe providing this information is in the public interest and request no fee is charged for access to any documents supplied in your response."

Please note that special arrangements apply to the Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General. Section 6A of the FOI Act includes that following provision:

- 1. This Act does not apply to any request for access to a document of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General unless the document relates to matters of an administrative nature.
- 2. For the purpose of this Act, a document in the possession of a person employed under section 13 of the *Governor-General Act 1974* that is in his or her possession by reason of his or her employment under that section shall be taken to be in the possession of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General.

Our office is currently investigating this matter and will respond to you within 30 days, in accordance with the Act. If you have any questions, please contact me on (02) 6283 3509.

Yours sincerely

Stephen Murtagh

**Deputy Official Secretary** 

23 February 2015