

AUSTRALIAN COMPETITION AND CONSUMER COMMISSION

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 1982

AUTHORISATION UNDER SECTION 23

I, Rodney Sims, Principal Officer of the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission, hereby approve the following arrangements under subsections 10A(1) and 23(1) of the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the Act), enabling the persons from time to time holding, occupying or performing the duties or functions of the positions and levels specified in Column 2 of Schedule 1 of this Authorisation to make the decisions specified in Column 3 of Schedule 1 of this instrument.

In this instrument of Authorisation:

*information publication scheme decision* means exercising powers and functions under Part II of the Act

*initial decision* means:

- (a) a decision in connection with accessing documents under Part III of the Act;
- (b) a decision to release documents to a qualified person under s.47F of the Act;
- (c) a decision about amending or annotating personal information about a person under Part V of the Act; and
- (d) a decision about whether a person is liable to pay a charge in respect of a request.

*internal review decision* means:

- (a) a review of an initial decision mentioned in paragraph (a), (b), (c) or (d) of the definition of initial decision and to make a fresh decision; and
- (b) any other decision under Part VI, Part VII or Part VIII of the Act.

Schedule 1

Column 1 Item	Column 2 Position	Column 3 Decision
1	(a) Chief Operating Officer (b) Executive General Managers (c) General Managers (d) Deputy General Managers	All of the following decisions: (a) an initial decision (b) a decision under the <i>Freedom of Information</i>

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	(e) SES lawyer, Legal and Economic Division (f) Lawyer tier 2, Legal and Economic Division (g) Lawyer tier 1, Legal and Economic Division (h) Director, Enforcement (i) Director, People and Culture (j) Director, Mergers and Authorisation Review Division (k) Director, Legal and Economic Division (l) Assistant Director, Legal and Economic Division (m) FOI Coordinator (n) Legal Information Coordinator, Legal and Economic Division (o) Compliance Officer, Legal and Economic Division (p) Legal Services Funding Coordinator, Legal and Economic Division (q) FOI Administrative Assistant (r) Graduate, Legal and Economic Division	<i>(Fees and Charges) Regulations</i>
2	(a) Chief Operating Officer (b) Executive General Managers (c) General Managers (d) Deputy General Managers (e) SES lawyer, Legal and Economic Division (f) Lawyer tier 2, Legal and Economic Division (g) Lawyer tier 1, Legal and Economic Division (h) FOI Coordinator	An internal review decision
3	(a) Chief Operating Officer (b) Executive General Managers (c) General Managers (d) Deputy General Managers (e) SES lawyer, Legal and Economic Division (f) Lawyer tier 2, Legal and Economic Division (g) Lawyer tier 1, Legal and Economic Division	An information publication scheme decision

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	(h) Director, Corporate Division (i) Director, Enforcement (j) Director, Mergers and Authorisation Review Division (k) Director, Legal and Economic Division (l) Assistant Director, Corporate Division (m) Assistant Director, Legal and Economic Division (n) FOI Coordinator (o) Compliance Officer, Legal and Economic Division (p) Legal Services Funding Coordinator, Legal and Economic Division (q) Legal Information Coordinator, Legal and Economic Division (r) FOI Administrative Assistant (s) Graduate, Legal and Economic Division	

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 2018



Rod Sims  
 Principal Officer  
 Australian Competition and Consumer Commission