
From: § 47F
Sent: Tuesday, 27 October 2020 6:39 PM
To: § 47F
Cc: § 47F; § 47F; § 22; Moran, Celeste; FOI
Subject: New PMO FOI Request FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Mathew Jose (obo the Office of the Hon Anthony Albanese MP) - research reports created by James Alan Reed trading as Resolve Strategic. [SEC=OFFICIAL]
Attachments: FOI request - Office of the Prime Minister

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Reference: FOI/PMO/2020/053

Dear § 47F

Please see **attached** a new FOI request, addressed to the Office of the Prime Minister, from Mr Mathew Jose (obo the Office of the Hon Anthony Albanese MP) for:

All research reports created by James Alan Reed trading as Resolve Strategic.

My request excludes duplicate documents.

I note that the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet has confirmed in answer to a question on notice from the Senate Select Committee on COVID-19 that results of Mr Reed's publicly-funded research has been shared with the Office of the Prime Minister.

Next steps

Once you have considered the terms of the FOI request, please let us know:

- If valid, are the terms of the FOI request sufficiently clear to enable identification of relevant documents, if they exist?
- if such documents exist, do they satisfy the definition of 'official document of a Minister' in section 4 of the FOI Act?
- if the terms of the request are sufficiently clear, is the FOI request able to be processed without substantially and unreasonably interfering in the performance of the Prime Minister's functions?

Timeframes

The current due date for notifying the applicant of a decision in relation to the request is by **Friday 26 November 2020**.

We would be happy to discuss this FOI request.

Regards

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From: s 47F
Sent: Thursday, 26 November 2020 7:09 PM
To: s 47F
Cc: FOI
Subject: FW: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Freedom of information - Notification of Extension of Time for Third Party Consultation [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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Dear s 47F

For your information, the notice of extension of time for third party consultation was sent to the applicant today (see below). Please note that the new due date is 29 December 2020.

Regards

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From: § 47F
Sent: Wednesday, 9 December 2020 9:36 PM
To: § 47F
Cc: FOI, § 47F
Subject: RE: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Third Party Consult [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]

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Thanks § 47F, will send to § 47F tonight as per below.

Regards

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From: § 47F
Sent: Wednesday, 9 December 2020 9:31 PM
To: § 47F
Cc: FOI, § 47F
Subject: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Third Party Consult [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]

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§ 47F,

Please consult § 47F on the attached documents as the relevant third party for the processing of PMO FOI request **053**.

It would be convenient if § 47F is able to respond in a short time frame so as to allow the decision to be made on Friday in line with PM&C. Hopefully this is achievable when it is pointed out to § 47F that these are the same documents that he was consulted on for an earlier PM&C decision.

If there are any issues, please don't hesitate to call.

Regards,

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From: FOI
Sent: Thursday, 10 December 2020 6:18 PM
To: § 47F
Cc: FOI, § 47F; § 47F
Subject: FW: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Freedom of information - consultation request
[SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]

Importance: High

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Dear § 47F

Please find below, § 47F response to the third party consultation request issued yesterday in relation to FOI/PMO/2020/053.

Re the highlighted portions below, he has emailed those documents separately, which we will send to you tomorrow, as we will need our IT team to unlock/download it for us.

Regards

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From: s 47F
Sent: Friday, 11 December 2020 2:14 PM
To: s 47F
Cc: FOI
Subject: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - s 47G, s 47F sent you files via WeTransfer
[SEC=OFFICIAL]
Attachments: FOI-PMO-2020-053 - Redacted Documents - Jim Reed.pdf

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Hi s 47F

A mentioned in s 47F response yesterday, attached and below were sent by s 47F re the yellow highlights.

Regards

s 47F

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From: § 47F
Sent: Friday, 11 December 2020 4:18 PM
To: § 47F
Cc: FOI; § 47F ; § 47F ; Moran, Celeste; Gartmann, Petra
Subject: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - draft decision [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]
Attachments: FOI-PMO-2020-053 - Documents marked-up.pdf; FOI-PMO-2020-053 - Draft Decision V2.docx

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Hi § 47F

As discussed, please find attached the draft PMO decision, and marked-up version of the documents in scope.

Note that all 6 documents are marked up as exempt in full, so there is no redacted version for release.

Please let us know if any revision/edit is required. Happy to discuss further.

Regards

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From: s 47F
Sent: Friday, 11 December 2020 6:10 PM
To: s 47F
Cc: Moran, Celeste; FOI; s 47F; s 47F; s 22
Subject: FOI Decision - FOI.PMO.2020.053 [SEC=OFFICIAL]
Attachments: Decision FOI.PMO.2020.053.pdf

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Hi s 47F,

Please see attached.

Regards,

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From: s 47F
Sent: Wednesday, 16 December 2020 3:47 PM
To: s 47F
Cc: FOI
Subject: RE: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Freedom of information - consultation request [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]

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Hi s 47F,

This is good to go.

Regards,

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From: s 47F
Sent: Tuesday, 15 December 2020 5:04 PM
To: s 47F
Cc: FOI
Subject: RE: FOI/PMO/2020/053 - Freedom of information - consultation request [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]

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Hi s 47F

As discussed, below is the draft email to send to s 47F notifying him of the decision by PMO. Grateful for your clearance by COB tomorrow if possible so we can send to him.

Regards

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