



File: T&F17/0792  
A775547

28 December 2017

Hon Robert Lucas MLC  
Parliament House  
North Terrace  
ADELAIDE SA 5000

State Administration Centre  
200 Victoria Square  
Adelaide SA 5000  
GPO Box 1045  
Adelaide SA 5001  
DX56205  
Tel 08 8226 9500  
Fax 08 8226 3819  
<http://www.treasury.sa.gov.au>  
ABN 19 040 349 865

Sent via email: [rob.lucas@parliament.sa.gov.au](mailto:rob.lucas@parliament.sa.gov.au)

Dear Mr Lucas

### Freedom of Information – Non State Government payroll taxpayers

I refer to your application under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (FOI Act), received by the Department of Treasury and Finance (DTF) on 18 December 2017.

Your application specifically requested:

*'Request to provide the number of (non-Government) Payroll tax payers who have taxable wages between the following bands:[\$1,199,999.99 to \$1,500,000 plus]'*

The purpose of this letter is to advise you of my determination. One document was identified as answering the terms of your application and I have determined to release the document in full.

In compliance with Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045 - *Disclosure Logs for Non-Personal Information Released through Freedom of Information* (PC045), DTF is now required to publish a log of all non-personal information released under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991*.

In accordance with this Circular, any non-personal information determined for release as part of this application, may be published on the DTF website. A copy of PC045 can be found at the following address: <http://dpc.sa.gov.au/what-we-do/services-for-government/premier-and-cabinet-circulars> Please visit the website for further information.

### Appeal Rights

If you are aggrieved with this determination, you have a right to apply for internal review under subsection 29(1) of the FOI Act. Pursuant to subsection 29(2), your application must:

- be in writing
- be addressed to the principal officer, and
- be lodged at an office of DTF, or emailed to [freedomofinformation2@sa.gov.au](mailto:freedomofinformation2@sa.gov.au) within 30 days after the day on which you receive this letter or within such further time as the principal officer may allow.

If you require any further information please phone Natalie Haigh on (08) 8429 0839.

Yours sincerely

Paul Williams

ACCREDITED FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER

## Branch response

The table below sets out the information requested.

<b>2016-17 South Australian wages</b>	<b>Number of 2016-17 grouped taxpayers<sup>(a)(b)</sup></b>
\$1,199,999.99 to \$1,249,999.99	120
\$1,249,999.99 to \$1,299,999.99	102
\$1,299,999.99 to \$1,349,999.99	117
\$1,349,999.99 to \$1,399,999.99	123
\$1,399,999.99 to \$1,449,999.99	107
\$1,449,999.99 to \$1,499,999.99	93
\$1,500,000.00 plus	2,632

a) Excludes South Australian Government entities.

b) The data records grouped employers as a single tax payer, rather than listing all the employers in the group as tax payers.