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Dear Mr Mullighan

**Freedom of Information Internal Review — Infrastructure Projects Managed by DPTI**

I refer to your Freedom of Information application received by Department of Treasury and Finance on 31 May 2018 and your Internal Review application received on 23 August 2018.

Your applications specifically requested:

“[Date Range: 19/03/2018 to 30/05/2018] All minutes, briefings, notes, emails and correspondence from the Treasury and Finance to the Treasurer and the Treasurer’s Office regarding the Machinery of Government changes.”

**Determination under review**

DTF did not make a determination on the initial application within the 30-day time period required by the FOI Act. Accordingly, DTF was deemed to have refused access in full to all documents relevant to the application

**Outcome of internal review**

A total of 2 documents were identified as answering the terms of your application and I have determined as follows:

- I grant you access in full to 1 document, a copy of which is enclosed, and
- I refuse you access to 1 document.

Please refer to the attached schedule that describes each document and sets out my determination and reasons in summary form.

**Document released in full**

Document 1

**Document refused in full**

Document 2

This document is a briefing paper specifically prepared for the use of the Minister in relation to a matter submitted to Cabinet. I have therefore exempted the document pursuant to Clause 1(1)(f) of the FOI Act.

## Exemptions

### Clause 1 – Cabinet documents

(1) A document is an exempt document –

...  
(f) if it is a briefing paper specifically prepared for the use of a Minister in relation to a matter submitted, or proposed to be submitted to Cabinet

Please note, 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.

## External review

If you remain dissatisfied with this determination, you have the right to apply to the Ombudsman for external review under section 39 of the FOI Act. You have 30 days from the date on which you receive this letter to apply for an external review. If you have any questions about an application to the Ombudsman, please contact the office on (08) 8226 8699.

Yours sincerely



David Reynolds  
PRINCIPAL FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER

## Schedule of Documents

T&F18/0310 - Mr Stephen Mullighan MP - "All minutes, briefings, notes, emails and correspondence from the Treasury and Finance to the Treasurer and the Treasurer's Office regarding the Machinery of Government changes"

Doc. No.	Date	Description of Document	# of pages	Determination	Exemption Clause
1	20/03/2018	Email - MoG Brief	1	Released in full	
2	Undated	Machinery of Government Issues for Treasurer's Portfolio	5	Refused in full	1(1)(f) - Briefing prepared for use of Minister regarding matter submitted to Cabinet

**Perry, Kate (DTF)**

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**From:** Hocking, Stuart (DTF)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 20 March 2018 5:15 PM  
**To:** Borlase, Trish (DTF)  
**Cc:** Reynolds, David (DTF); Pribanic, Tammie (DTF); Duong, Mi Chie (DTF)  
**Subject:** MOG brief  
**Attachments:** Machinery of Government Issues for Treasurers Portfolio.docx

Hi Trish

See attached.

Thanks Mi Chie for all of your help

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