



**ACT**  
Government

Environment, Planning and  
Sustainable Development

Phone: 6207 1923

Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of information request: 18/04891 – Emergency Management Plans**

I refer to your application under section 30 of the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (the Act), received by the Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate (EPSDD) on Monday, 19 February 2018, in which you sought access to:

*“...information regarding the ACT's emergency management plans. I would like to access the Hazard Specific Plans”*

I am an Information Officer appointed by the Director-General under section 18 of the Act to deal with access applications made under Part 5 of the Act. EPSDD was required to provide a decision on your access application by 20 March 2018.

**Decision on Access**

Searches were completed for relevant documents and two documents were identified that fall within the scope of your request. I have decided to grant access in full to the documents relevant to your request. I have included as **Attachment A** to this decision, the schedule from your request and the documents identified.

**Online Publishing – Disclosure Log**

Under section 28 of the Act, EPSDD maintains an online record of access applications called a disclosure log. Your original access application, my decision and documents released to you in response to your access application will be published in the EPSDD disclosure log 3 days after date of decision. Your personal contact details will not be published.

You may view EPSDD's disclosure log at <https://www.environment.act.gov.au/about/access-government-information/disclosure-log>.

**Ombudsman Review**

My decision on your access request is a reviewable decision as identified in Schedule 3 of the Act. You have the right to seek Ombudsman review of this outcome under section 73 of the Act within 20 working days from the day that my decision is published in EPSDD's disclosure log, or a longer period allowed by the Ombudsman.

If you wish to request a review of my decision you may write to the Ombudsman at:

The ACT Ombudsman  
GPO Box 442  
CANBERRA ACT 2601

Or via email to: [ombudsman@ombudsman.gov.au](mailto:ombudsman@ombudsman.gov.au)

**ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal (ACAT) Review**

Under section 84 of the Act, if a decision is made under section 82(1) on an Ombudsman review, you may apply to the ACAT for review of the Ombudsman decision.

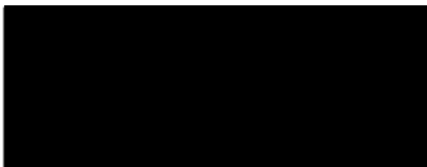
Further information may be obtained from the ACAT at:

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal  
Level 4, 1 Moore St  
GPO Box 370  
Canberra City ACT 2601  
Telephone: (02) 6207 1740

<http://www.acat.act.gov.au/>

If you have any queries concerning the Directorate's processing of your request, or would like further information, please contact EPSDD's Customer Service Centre on (02) 6207 1923 and ask for the Information Management Team.

Yours sincerely



Geoffrey Rutledge  
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19 March 2018