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To: EPSDFOI
Subject: Re: FOI application - use of dynamite in Throsby

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Hi Jedda

Do you require the scope to be narrowed due to too many documents? How many do you estimate?

If it aids your searches the timeframe is from 2013 onwards given there many have been a planning phase first. Dynamite was used before houses were built in Throsby in and around 2016. The documents relating to the use of dynamite I expect you to hold include documents detailing the strength of the blasts, the placement and the distance it could be felt and the strengths of the blasts at various distances. This would include documents regarding its impact, including possible impact on the land including the land flowing into the nearby suburb of Harrison. I also expect that your directorate and the Suburban Land Agency would hold documents regarding complaints received and studies about the effect of the use.

If it helps the scope can be narrowed to:

Documents regarding the use and the effects, including possible effects, of the use of dynamite in the construction of Throsby from 1 January 2013 until 31 March 2023.

Thank you

[REDACTED]

> On 12 Apr 2023, at 11:33 am, EPSDFOI <EPSDFOI@act.gov.au> wrote:
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> OFFICIAL
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> Good morning [REDACTED]
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> I refer to your application (below) received by the Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate (EPSDD) on 12 April 2023, in which you sought access to information under the Freedom of Information Act 2016 (the Act).
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> Can you please provide some information to refine the scope of your application. For example, the context of the use of dynamite and the timeframe?
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> Thank you.
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> Kind regards,
>
> Jedda Kelly (she/her/they/them) | Information Governance Officer |
> Information Governance Environment, Planning and Sustainable
> Development Directorate | ACT Government
> Phone: 02 6207 2689

> -----Original Message-----

> From: [REDACTED]
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> Dear Information Management Team

> Under the Freedom of Information Act 2016 I am requesting all documents regarding the use of dynamite in Throsby.

> Kind regards

> [REDACTED]

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