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Good afternoon team

We have received the below request. Treasury and Revenue Office have advised that EPSDD may hold this information .

Could you please confirm acceptance of full transfer.

Thanks

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Hello

I hope you have had a good weekend. I am undertaking [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] The research is on eminent domain or compulsory acquisition of property as it is known in Australia.

Firstly, can I thank the ACT for already having the best available data on this. You have legislation which requires public reports which are excellent. From a research perspective it is really appreciated.

The empirical work we are attempting to do at the [REDACTED] is not

specific to any project or any activity in Australia. Rather we are comparing Australian data to research done with American data to determine whether the same theoretical considerations apply. As part of this, we are seeking to create a data set of all compulsory acquisitions in the ACT in the last ten years, isolating:

1. Date of acquisition
2. Location (or at least general location) of property
3. Price of acquisition


Failing this, we would seek to create a data set from a smaller period, or for a specific project.

The ACT already provides us with (1) and (3) on publicly available documents on the internet. We are enquiring as to whether we can get access slightly more information on (2). We do not require any further identifiers, (we do not need names or anything like that) and we can reduce the address to a limited area to preserve confidentiality. However, it would be good if we could get information which allowed us to locate the property by suburb or street identifier.

I am aware that the ACT has a general data website, which is also quite good – however it has no contact information. Given this, this email seemed the most appropriate email address to use. However, if there is a better way of getting in contact with the ACT data division (however that is structured) then please let me know.

Thanks in advance.

Regards



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