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Kameron Otolenghi

Via email: kamotolenghi@protonmail.com

Dear Kameron,

ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS UNDER THE *FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 1982*

I refer to your email dated 23 June 2022 seeking access to documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (Cth) (the Act). Your request was as follows:

All documents, emails, data and supporting evidence for any CASA risk assessment into/covering the use of face masks by passengers, crew and other aviation employees and personnel, since January 2020.

The date range for your access request is 1 January 2020 to 22 June 2022.

Decision

I am the decision maker for your request.

In accordance with subparagraph 24A(1)(b)(ii) of the Act, I refuse your request for access as I am satisfied that the documents you are seeking do not exist.

Application for internal review of decision

Section 54 of the Act gives you the right to apply for an internal review of my decision. An application for internal review of my decision must be made in writing within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

No particular form is required, but it is desirable to set out in the application the grounds on which you consider that the decision should be reviewed. An application for review should be addressed to Freedom of Information at the address below:

Freedom of Information
Advisory and Drafting Branch
Legal and Regulatory Affairs Division
Civil Aviation Safety Authority
GPO Box 2005
Canberra ACT 2601

Review by the Australian Information Commissioner

Alternatively, under section 54L of the Act, you may apply to the Australian Information Commissioner to review my decision. An application for review by the Information Commissioner must be made in writing within 60 days of the date of this letter, and be lodged in one of the following ways:

online: https://forms.business.gov.au/smartforms/servlet/SmartForm.html?formCode=ICR_10
email: foidr@oaic.gov.au
post: Director of FOI Dispute Resolution, OAIC, GPO Box 5218, Sydney NSW 2001
phone: 02 9284 9666

Yours sincerely,

Melissa Kiewiet
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Legal, International and Regulatory Affairs Division
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