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Good afternoon Team

I believe this one is for your given it relates to the Planning Minister Chris Steel MLA.

Kind regards  
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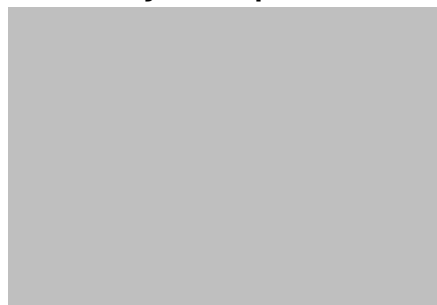
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Under the Freedom of Information Act 2016 I want to access the following document/s (\*required field):

An email chain between staff from the offices of Leanne Castley MLA and Peter Cain MLA, in which a staff member or members from the office of Planning Minister Chris Steel MLA was/were copied in. I cannot confirm a specific date, but I understand it occurred no earlier than 20 May, and canvassed issues relating to the government's planning changes. The email chain is believed to demonstrate a dispute between the offices of the two Liberal MLAs. It may include an email from Leanne Castley's chief of staff, Jonathon Deans. It may also include a follow-up email from staff in the Cain office to the Steel office, apologising for inadvertently copying them into the chain.

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Thank you.  
Freedom of Information Coordinator