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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COVERSHEET

The following information is provided pursuant to section 28 of the *Freedom of Information Act 2016*.

FOI reference: TCCSFOI 2018-022

Information to be published	Status
1. Access application	Published
2. Decision notice	Published
3. Documents and schedule	n/a
4. Additional information identified	No
5. Fees	n/a
6. Processing time (in working days)	13 days
7. Decision made by Ombudsman	n/a
8. Additional information identified by Ombudsman	n/a
9. Decision made by ACAT	n/a
10. Additional information identified by ACAT	n/a

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, 9 March 2018 2:58 PM  
**To:** TCCS\_FreedomOfInformation <TCCS.FOI@act.gov.au>  
**Subject:** FOI for Umbagong 2013 Stepping Stone Survey

Good afternoon,

I write to request under the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (FOI Act) documents generated or received by the ACT Government in relation to the Umbagong stepping stone survey conducted in 2013 by Roads ACT.

I make this request pursuant to section 30 of the FOI Act.

As a member of the ACT Legislative Assembly, I note that any fees and charges associated with this request will be waived in pursuant to section 107 (e) of the Act.

Should you require any further information or clarification about my request, please contact my office on [REDACTED]

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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**E-MAILED**  
29/3/18



Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of information request: Reference 18-022**

I refer to your application made under the *Freedom of Information Act 2016* (the FOI Act) received by Transport Canberra and City Services (TCCS) on 9 March 2018, in which you sought access to:

- documents generated or received by the ACT Government in relation to the Umbagog Stepping Stone Survey conducted by Roads ACT.

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.

A decision on your access application is due by 11 April 2018.

**Decision on access**

The information which you have requested was the subject of a recent request for information. That information has already been published on the TCCS' disclosure log. You may access the information via TCCS' disclosure log at [www.tccs.act.gov.au/about-us/freedom\\_of\\_information](http://www.tccs.act.gov.au/about-us/freedom_of_information).

On that basis, I have decided to deal with your application pursuant to section 43 of the Act which provides

- (1) A respondent may refuse to deal with an access application wholly or in part only if-
  - (e) the government information is already available to the applicant (see section 45).

**Charges**

No fee is payable as no documents are being released to you.

**Online publishing – disclosure log**

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

**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 TCCS' 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

Via email: [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 ACAT at:

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal  
Level 4, 1 Moore Street  
GPO Box 370  
CANBERRA CITY ACT 2601  
Telephone: (02) 6207 1740  
[www.acat.act.gov.au](http://www.acat.act.gov.au)

If you have any questions concerning the directorate's processing of your request, or would like further information, please contact the directorate's FOI Coordinator on 6205 5408 or email [tccs.foi@act.gov.au](mailto:tccs.foi@act.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



Cherie Hughes  
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Transport Canberra and City Services

*CH* March 2018