



Government  
of South Australia

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC

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The Hon Dr Nicola Centofanti MLC  
Member of the Legislative Council  
Parliament House  
ADELAIDE SA 5000

Dear Dr Centofanti

### Determination under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991*

I refer to your application made under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* transferred from the Department of Primary Industries and Regions to the Office of the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development, Minister for Forest Industries on 10 July 2025 requesting access to the following:

*“All correspondence and meeting documents, including but not limited to hard copy or electronic briefings, minutes, emails, letters, meeting agendas, and any other correspondence between the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development and the Department of Premier and Cabinet in relation to the algal bloom currently affecting South Australian coast and maritime environment.”*

Timeframe: 15/01/2025 to 7/07/2025

Accordingly, the following determination has been finalised.

I have located one document that is captured within the scope of your request.

### **Determination**

I have determined that access to the following document is **granted in part**:

Doc No.	Description of document	No. of Pages
1	Email from the Department of the Premier and Cabinet to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 3/07/2025 re Algal Bloom.	1

Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development  
Minister for Forest Industries

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The information removed from the above document is pursuant to Clause 6(1) of Schedule 1 of the Freedom of Information Act which states:

**“6 - Documents affecting personal affairs**

*(1) A document is an exempt document if it contains matter the disclosure of which would involve the unreasonable disclosure of information concerning the personal affairs of any person (living or dead).”*

The information removed consists of the name of a member of the public.

It is considered that members of the public can correspond with a Minister without fear that their identities are released.

Accordingly, it is considered that disclosure of this information would be an unreasonable intrusion into the privacy rights of the individual concerned.

If you are unhappy with this determination you are entitled to exercise your rights of external review with the Ombudsman SA. Alternatively, you can apply to the South Australian Civil and Administrative Tribunal (SACAT). If you wish to seek a review, you must do so within 30 calendar days of receiving this determination.

For more information about seeking a review or appeal, please contact the Ombudsman SA on telephone (08) 8226 8699 or SACAT on 1800 723 767.

Should you require further information or clarification with respect to this matter, please contact Francesca Blefari on 8226 2931 or email: [Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au](mailto:Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



Hon Clare Scriven MLC  
**MINISTER FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT**  
**MINISTER FOR FOREST INDUSTRIES**

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Office of the Premier  
of South Australia

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**Due Back to the Premier's Office: 15-07-2025**

The Office of the Premier requests that your agency takes action based on the following request:

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Please use the following [Secure Connect Workspace](#) when actioning your request.

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Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Kind Regards,

**Office of the Premier**

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