

DEW FOI references: DEW22-014 / DEW22-016 Your reference numbers: 14695620 / 14696137

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Dear Mr Brown

RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION APPLICATIONS

I refer to your application pursuant to the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (the FOI Act) received by the Department for Environment and Water (DEW) on 01 May 2022, that was amended and agreed to on 25 May 2022 to request:

"All electronically searchable documents (including but not limited to reports, briefings, emails, notes, minutes, plans and other documents) mentioning or related to:

- The firm of Pyne and Partners, Hon. Christopher Pyne between 18 May 2019 and 22 March 2022, or
- Mr. Adam Howard 17 March 2018 until 22 March 2022. Excluding: media releases, circulars or emails to all staff or all MPs"

This application is registered with DEW as DEW22-014.

On 1 May 2022 DEW received a further application (DEW16-022) under the Act seeking access to the following:

"All electronically searchable documents (including but not limited to reports, briefings, emails, notes, minutes, plans and other documents) mentioning or related to the company known as "MacLachlan Proprietors"."

These 2 applications have been combined as the one document for release for application DEW22-016 was also captured in the scope of application DEW22-014, being Document 1.

The agency has a statutory timeframe of 30 calendar days from the date of receipt of an application in which to process the request and provide a response (determination). Due to the scope negotiations application DEW22-014 was due on 24 June 2022 and application DEW22-016 was due on 1 June 2022.

As the agency did not determine the application within 30 days of the agreement of the scope, by the operation of section 19(2)(b) of the FOI Act, the agency is taken to have determined the application by refusing access. Section 19(2a) of the FOI Act provides that an agency may give access to a document on an application after the period within which it was required to deal with the application (and any such determination is to be taken to have been made under this Act).

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DETERMINATION

Searches of the department's records have found 6 documents held by this agency within scope of your requests.

As an Accredited FOI Officer, I have determined to grant you full access to 3 documents and partial access to 3 documents.

Section 20 of the Act provides that an agency may refuse access to a document if it is an exempt document under the Act. The documents, or parts of the document to which I am refusing access and the reasons for the refusal are summarised in the attached document schedule, as attachment 1, while the documents form attachment 2.

The determination is provided to you electronically.

In accordance with <u>PC045 – Disclosure logs for Non-personal information</u> once a determination has been provided, the agency is required to make available on our website information and documents that have been disclosed. Information will be published online at http://www.environment.sa.gov.au/about-us/freedom-of-information/foi-disclosure-log.

FEES AND CHARGES

There will be no charge to process this application.

YOUR APPEAL RIGHTS

If you are dissatisfied with this determination, you are entitled to exercise your rights to internal review and appeal as outlined in the attached documentation, by completing the <u>'FOI Application Form – For Internal Review of a Determination'</u>.

If you decide to apply to exercise your rights to review, the completed form must be returned within 30 days to:

Chief Executive (FOI Principal Officer)
Department for Environment and Water
GPO Box 1047
ADELAIDE SA 5001

Email: dew.foi@sa.gov.au

Should an FOI applicant believe an agency has failed to identify all of the documents within the scope of their FOI application, they can make a complaint to the Ombudsman under the Ombudsman Act 1972. Attachment 3 of this determination outlines this process.

You can also visit: www.ombudsman.sa.gov.au for more information.

If you have any queries in relation to the above please contact the Freedom of Information team on telephone (08) 8463 6625 or email DEW.FOI@sa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Accredited Freedom of Information Officer Department for Environment and Water

24 / 11 / 2022

Encl: 1. Document Schedule

2. Release documents

3. Sufficiency of Search - Factsheet - Ombudsman SA



Application DEW22-014 - Member of Parliament - Mr Michael Brown MP

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Document	Date	Author	Page	No of	Document Description	Determination	Clause	Reason
Number			number	pages				
1	17/09/2020	Office of the (former) Minister for	1	1	Email	Partial release	S6(1) - Documents affecting	Redaction over address of private
		Environment and Water					personal affairs	residence
2	31/12/2020	Department for Environment and Water	2	3	Email	Partial release	S6(1) - Documents affecting personal affairs	Redaction over staff mobile phone number. Release of mobile phone number into the public domain may result in unsolicited phone calls being received out of business hours, impacting the personal affairs of an individual.
3	24/02/2021	Department for Environment and Water	5	4	Email	Partial release	S6(1) - Documents affecting personal affairs	Redaction over staff mobile phone number. Release of mobile phone number into the public domain may result in unsolicited phone calls being received out of business hours, impacting the personal affairs of an individual.
4	24/02/2021	Department for Environment and Water	9	7	Email	Full release		
5	24/02/2021	Department for Environment and Water	16	5	Email	Full release		
6	18/02/2022	AIIA	21	4	Email	Full release		

Application DEW22-016 - Member of Parliament - Mr Michael Brown MP

Scope: "All electronically searchable documents (including but not limited to reports, briefings, emails, notes, minutes, plans and other documents) mentioning or related to the company known as "MacLachlan Proprietors"."

Document Number	Date		Page number	No of pages	Document Description	Determination	Clause	Reason
		Office of the (former) Minister for Environment and Water	1		Email		, ,	Redaction over address of private residence

From: Schultz, Rosemary (DEW)

Sent: Thursday, 17 September, 2020 2:03 PM

To: DEW:Minister Speirs

Subject: 20INV0010615 ROSIE - INV - INTERNAL - FW: Meeting request - Pyne & Partners

[DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Please index and return to me. thank you

For Official Use Only Classified by rosemary.schultz@sa.gov.au on 17/09/2020 2:03:17 PM

From: cdi@pyneandpartners.com.au <cdi@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Sent: Tuesday, 8 September, 2020 3:59 PM

To: Schultz, Rosemary (DEW) < Rosemary. Schultz@sa.gov.au>

Subject: Meeting request - Pyne & Partners

Hi Rosemary

rosie

Thank you for your time on the phone earlier this afternoon.

As per our discussion, I am contacting you on behalf of our client, MacLachlan Proprietors, who would like to invite Minister Speirs to their property at Pewsey Vale. The purpose of the visit will be to showcase the old Pewsey Vale township and show the Minister the MacLachlan family is undertaking to maintain the relics.

The address of the property is ^{6 - Documents} affecting personal affairs

I appreciate your assistance in arranging this meeting and look forward to hearing back from you.

Warm regards

Cristian Di Iulio Associate



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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Thursday, 31 December, 2020 1:43 PM

To: Mcinerney, April (DEW)

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand

House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Thanks yes, please re-direct Lucy via the formal process for requesting advice to support Minister's meetings. It is not clear to me why Jo P would need to be involved. More info required.

Kerrie Burmeister

Director, Office of the Chief Executive Department for Environment and Water Phone: 08 8204 9396 | 0456 859 133

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From: McInerney, April (DEW) < April. Mcinerney@sa.gov.au>

Sent: Thursday, 31 December 2020 9:46 AM

To: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) < Kerrie. Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Subject: FW: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-

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Hi Kerrie

Are you happy for me to follow up with Lucy regarding the formal process (through OCE/OED), seeking more information regarding topic and what MEW might need for the meeting?

Thank you, April

Kind regards

April McInerney Principal Adviser

Office of the Executive Director, National Parks and Wildlife Service

Phone: 08 846 34346 Mobile:

From: Podoliak, Jo (DEW)

Sent: Thursday, 24 December 2020 12:03 PM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au >; McInerney, April (DEW) < April. Mcinerney@sa.gov.au >;

Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) < Kerrie.Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Hi Lucy,

Merry Christmas Eve!

I'll flag this with April & Kerrie for them to get back to you with regards to meetings as I'm not sure of the background on this one.

FYI – I'm on call between Xmas and New Year (at this stage with Min on 30th for Cleland Wildlife Park announcement), and then back into Waymouth Street from 4th Jan.

Cheers, Jo.

Jo Podoliak

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From: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < <u>Lucy.Huxter@sa.gov.au</u>>
Sent: Thursday, 24 December, 2020 11:01 AM
To: Podoliak, Jo (DEW) < Jo. Podoliak@sa.gov.au>

Subject: FW: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-

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Hi Jo

I've been asked to set up a meeting with Pyne and Partners on behalf of the Minister re NBT. I've asked Alisha to let me know when is good for Pyne and Partners. Are you on leave at all over Christmas/New Year? I'll try and set something up that's mutually convenient for all of us.

Thanks Jo.

Lucy Huxter

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From: Alisha Dhillon <ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Sent: Tuesday, 1 December 2020 3:27 PM

To: DEW:Minister Speirs < Minister.Speirs@sa.gov.au>

Subject: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House

Good afternoon

I hope this email finds you well.

As you may be aware, we represent Martins Brand House, and would like to request a meeting with Minister Speirs to discuss tourism for National Parks in SA.

Can you please let me know if the Minister is willing to meet and what times are suitable?

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Alisha Dhillon **Analyst**



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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 24 February, 2021 10:03 AM

To: Bruce, Ben (DEW)

Subject: I will give u a call.- Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

Use-Only]

We discussed this in the office some weeks back.

Kerrie Burmeister Director, Office of the Chief Executive 0456 859 133

From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) < Kerrie. Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2021 10:01:05 AM
To: Lewis, Sarah (DEW) <Sarah.Lewis@sa.gov.au>
Cc: Sawtell, Carolyn (DEW) <Carolyn.Sawtell@sa.gov.au>

Subject: Re: HEADS UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Sarah, I thought this one had been dealt with. Let me reflect and revert.

K

Kerrie Burmeister Director, Office of the Chief Executive 0456 859 133

From: Lewis, Sarah (DEW) <Sarah.Lewis@sa.gov.au> Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2021 9:03:38 AM

To: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) < Kerrie. Burmeister@sa.gov.au>
Cc: Sawtell, Carolyn (DEW) < Carolyn. Sawtell@sa.gov.au>

Subject: FW: HEADS UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Hello Kerrie

Jo is looking to progress this asap – did you have any advice about if it is appropriate for Jo to attend, or if it should just be Lucy in the OMEW? Attached please find latest email chain.

Appreciate your advice.

Thanks, Sarah

From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) < Kerrie. Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Sent: Wednesday, 6 January 2021 11:46 AM

To: McInerney, April (DEW) <April.Mcinerney@sa.gov.au>; Podoliak, Jo (DEW) <Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au> Subject: FW: HEADS UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

April, Jo, I will let the below sit a while before I come back to you regarding how best to respond to Lucy's request. K

Kerrie Burmeister

Director, Office of the Chief Executive Department for Environment and Water Phone: 08 8204 9396 | 0456 859 133

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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 6 January 2021 11:44 AM

To: Ross, Ken (DEW) < Ken.Ross@sa.gov.au >

Cc: Schutz, John (DEW) < <u>John.Schutz@sa.gov.au</u>>; McNeill, Carly (DEW) < <u>Carly.McNeill@sa.gov.au</u>>; Holmes, Justin (DEW) < <u>Justin.Holmes@sa.gov.au</u>>

Subject: HEADS UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only] Ken

A quick note, conscious both you and the CE are on leave, to add this issue to the list of matters we might usefully discuss on your return from leave.

I am keen to ensure we are on the same page as to the circumstances in which it is appropriate for a Departmental officer to attend a meeting convened by a member of your team with a stakeholder.

Having reflected carefully, and noting that on this occasion the meeting appears to be a preliminary discussion about a general matter of interest to the stakeholder, I would suggest Lucy handle the discussion in the ordinary manner (listening brief, careful notes, follow up with request for departmental advice if Minister deems that necessary). In this way we minimise the diversion of Dept resources that would otherwise be focussed on delivery of the Minister's established priorities.

Happy of course to discuss on your return, to ensure we have a consistent and agreed approach going forward. Regards,

Kerrie Burmeister

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From: Podoliak, Jo (DEW) < <u>Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au</u>>

Sent: Tuesday, 5 January 2021 1:38 PM

To: McInerney, April (DEW) < April. Mcinerney@sa.gov.au >; Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

<Kerrie.Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Thanks for the update April....Cheers, Jo.

Jo Podoliak

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Sent: Tuesday, 5 January, 2021 12:09 PM

To: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) <Kerrie.Burmeister@sa.gov.au>; Podoliak, Jo (DEW) <Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

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Hi Kerrie and Jo

I've spoken with Lucy Huxter and she doesn't yet have any real intel regarding the meeting so she is following that up. From what we can gather, the meeting with Pyne and Partners (ex-Federal Minister Christopher Pyne and link to website here - https://www.pyneandpartners.com.au) is to informally discuss options their client, Martin Brands House (https://www.martins.com.au/) might have in possibly promoting or developing a brand for tourism in national parks.

Lucy will be attending the meeting on behalf of the Minister and is asking Jo to attend as Director, Tourism and Economic Development. Lucy is looking for a meeting date during the week commencing 18 January. Kerrie, will OCE be sending an attendee? And, should someone from Comms attend?

Thank you, April

Kind regards

April McInerney

Principal Adviser

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Phone: 08 846 34346

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From: Alisha Dhillon <ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Sent: Tuesday, 1 December 2020 3:27 PM

To: DEW:Minister Speirs < Minister.Speirs@sa.gov.au>

Subject: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House

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Alisha Dhillon

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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 24 February, 2021 1:51 PM

To: McNeill, Carly (DEW)

Subject: FW: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand

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Kerrie Burmeister

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From: Sawtell, Carolyn (DEW) < Carolyn.Sawtell@sa.gov.au>

Sent: Wednesday, 24 February 2021 7:16 AM
To: Lewis, Sarah (DEW) < Sarah. Lewis@sa.gov.au>

Subject: FW: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-

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Hi Sarah,

Can I discuss with you this morning as not sure the exact protocol / process as it looks like JO is attending for MEW?

Regards, Carolyn

Carolyn Sawtell | Senior Adviser | National Parks and Wildlife Service South Australia

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PO Box 1047, Adelaide, 5001

P (08) 8124 4254 | E: <u>carolyn.sawtell@sa.gov.au</u>

From: Sawtell, Carolyn (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 24 February 2021 7:14 AM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au >; Podoliak, Jo (DEW) < Jo. Podoliak@sa.gov.au > Cc: Borlase, Judy (DEW) < Judy. Borlase@sa.gov.au >; Lewis, Sarah (DEW) < Sarah. Lewis@sa.gov.au >

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Hi Lucy and Jo.

I'll get onto this today and get back with any questions.

Kind regards, Carolyn Carolyn Sawtell | Senior Adviser | National Parks and Wildlife Service South Australia

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PO Box 1047, Adelaide, 5001

P (08) 8124 4254 | E: carolyn.sawtell@sa.gov.au

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Hi Jo and Carolyn

Can we please book in some time? I don't want to miss the boat again this week and next week is a Parliament week which makes things difficult on my end...

Thanks

Lucy

From: Podoliak, Jo (DEW)

Sent: Monday, 15 February 2021 9:52 AM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy.Huxter@sa.gov.au >

Cc: Sawtell, Carolyn (DEW) < Carolyn.Sawtell@sa.gov.au >; Borlase, Judy (DEW) < Judy.Borlase@sa.gov.au >

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Hi Lucy,

Happy Monday!

Thanks for this and I just need Carolyn to navigate internally re my attendance. Carolyn – can you action this for me?

Later on the Thur/Friday that week is best for me at the moment...

Cheers, Jo.

Jo Podoliak

Director - Tourism & Economic Development

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Hi Jo

Hope you're well.

Can you please provide some dates/times in the week starting 22/2 that might suit you? Alisha has been asked to provide some more info to make sure we're appropriately prepared for the meeting.

Thanks

Lucy

From: Alisha Dhillon <aid@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Sent: Thursday, 11 February 2021 12:17 PM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au >

Subject: Re: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Hi Lucy

Thank you so much for agreeing to meet with the team at Martins Brand House, they would like to go ahead with the meeting. Would you please be able to provide some dates where Jo and yourself are available?

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Alisha Dhillon Analyst



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From: "Huxter, Lucy (DEW)" < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au>

Date: Wednesday, 3 February 2021 at 4:32 pm To: Alisha Dhillon <ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House

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Great, thanks. It will be myself and Jo Podoliak from the Department. Minister Speirs is incredibly busy at the moment so has asked that I meet with you on his behalf. So that we can make sure we're on the right page, could you please send me through some points around what specifically you'd like to discuss?

Many thanks

Lucy Huxter

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From: Alisha Dhillon <ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Sent: Tuesday, 2 February 2021 4:58 PM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au >

Subject: Re: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Hi Lucy

No worries at all, it is always a busy time of year!

Yes next week works well, we can do the week after also if that suits. Can you please send through some times that will work for Minister Speirs?

Kind regards

Alisha Dhillon **Analyst**



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From: "Huxter, Lucy (DEW)" < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au >

Date: Thursday, 28 January 2021 at 1:58 pm

To: Alisha Dhillon <ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House

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Hi Alisha

So sorry for my lack of communication. I've been trying to line something up with a departmental representative. Could we possibly try and line something up for the week of the 8th? Parliament resumes next week so it can get a bit tricky to find time.

Thanks very much

Lucy Huxter

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From: Alisha Dhillon [mailto:ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au]

Sent: Tuesday, 26 January 2021 2:46 PM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au>

Subject: Re: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

Use-Only]

Hi Lucy

I hope you are well. I am just following up on the below email. It has been a very busy time for us all but I would very much like to arrange a time for a meeting.

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Kind regards

Alisha Dhillon Analyst



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From: "Huxter, Lucy (DEW)" <Lucy.Huxter@sa.gov.au>

Date: Thursday, 24 December 2020 at 9:58 am **To:** Alisha Dhillon <ajd@pyneandpartners.com.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House

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Good morning Alisha

Thank you for getting in contact with the Minister.

I'd like to organise a time to meet with you at a mutually convenient time. Are you having time off over the Christmas/New Year period? I'll confirm with Jo Podoliak, Director of Tourism and Economic Development with the

Department of Environment Water, as to her availability. Hopefully we should be able to line something up in the next few weeks.

Many thanks, and merry Christmas.

Lucy Huxter

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Sent: Tuesday, 1 December 2020 3:27 PM

To: DEW:Minister Speirs < Minister. Speirs@sa.gov.au>

Subject: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House

Good afternoon

I hope this email finds you well.

As you may be aware, we represent Martins Brand House, and would like to request a meeting with Minister Speirs to discuss tourism for National Parks in SA.

Can you please let me know if the Minister is willing to meet and what times are suitable?

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Alisha Dhillon

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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 24 February, 2021 6:24 PM
To: Holmes, Justin (DEW); Schutz, John (DEW)

Subject: FW: FOLLOW UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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FYI

Kerrie Burmeister

Director, Office of the Chief Executive Department for Environment and Water Phone: 08 8204 9396 | 0456 859 133

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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 24 February 2021 6:23 PM
To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < Lucy. Huxter@sa.gov.au>

Cc: Podoliak, Jo (DEW) <Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au>; Ross, Ken (DEW) <Ken.Ross@sa.gov.au>

Subject: FOLLOW UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Hi Lucy,

I understand you are still working to secure an opportunity to meet with Pyne&Partners (and their client, Martins Brand House).

As you have noted, Jo Podoliak's expertise may be relevant to the anticipated discussion.

I have discussed with Jo, who is of course conscious of the need to avoid making any commitments in relation to business opportunities that Martins Brand House may wish to discuss. Likewise, we discussed the importance of providing clear advice as to the pathways that exist for businesses offering services relevant to the agency's activities (either via our USP process, or by participating in a public tender or similar).

Happy to discuss.

Regards,

Kerrie Burmeister

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From: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

Sent: Wednesday, 6 January 2021 11:44 AM To: Ross, Ken (DEW) < Ken.Ross@sa.gov.au>

 $\textbf{Cc: Schutz, John (DEW)} < \underline{\textbf{John.Schutz@sa.gov.au}} >; \textbf{McNeill, Carly (DEW)} < \underline{\textbf{Carly.McNeill@sa.gov.au}} >; \textbf{Holmes, Justin (DEW)} > \underline{\textbf{Carly.McNeill@sa.gov.au}} >; \textbf{McNeill, Carly (DEW)} > \underline{\textbf{Carly.McNeill@sa.gov.au}} >; \textbf{McNeill.McNeill@sa.gov.au} > \underline{\textbf{Carly.McNeill@sa.gov.au}} > \underline{\textbf{Carly.McNeill@sa.gov.au}}$

(DEW) < <u>Justin.Holmes@sa.gov.au</u>>

Subject: HEADS UP - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

Ken,

A quick note, conscious both you and the CE are on leave, to add this issue to the list of matters we might usefully discuss on your return from leave.

I am keen to ensure we are on the same page as to the circumstances in which it is appropriate for a Departmental officer to attend a meeting convened by a member of your team with a stakeholder.

Having reflected carefully, and noting that on this occasion the meeting appears to be a preliminary discussion about a general matter of interest to the stakeholder, I would suggest Lucy handle the discussion in the ordinary manner (listening brief, careful notes, follow up with request for departmental advice if Minister deems that necessary). In this way we minimise the diversion of Dept resources that would otherwise be focussed on delivery of the Minister's established priorities.

Happy of course to discuss on your return, to ensure we have a consistent and agreed approach going forward.

Regards,

Kerrie Burmeister

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From: Podoliak, Jo (DEW) < <u>Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au</u>>

Sent: Tuesday, 5 January 2021 1:38 PM

To: McInerney, April (DEW) < April. Mcinerney@sa.gov.au >; Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW)

<Kerrie.Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Thanks for the update April....Cheers, Jo.

Jo Podoliak

Director - Tourism & Economic Development

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From: McInerney, April (DEW) < April. Mcinerney@sa.gov.au>

Sent: Tuesday, 5 January, 2021 12:09 PM

To: Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) <Kerrie.Burmeister@sa.gov.au>; Podoliak, Jo (DEW) <Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Hi Kerrie and Jo

I've spoken with Lucy Huxter and she doesn't yet have any real intel regarding the meeting so she is following that up. From what we can gather, the meeting with Pyne and Partners (ex-Federal Minister Christopher Pyne and link to website here - https://www.pyneandpartners.com.au) is to informally discuss options their client, Martin Brands House (https://www.martins.com.au/) might have in possibly promoting or developing a brand for tourism in national parks.

Lucy will be attending the meeting on behalf of the Minister and is asking Jo to attend as Director, Tourism and Economic Development. Lucy is looking for a meeting date during the week commencing 18 January. Kerrie, will OCE be sending an attendee? And, should someone from Comms attend?

Thank you, April

Kind regards

April McInerney Principal Adviser Office of the Executive Director, National Parks and Wildlife Service Phone: 08 846 34346

Phone: 08 846 343 Mobile:

From: Podoliak, Jo (DEW)

Sent: Thursday, 24 December 2020 12:03 PM

To: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) <<u>Lucy.Huxter@sa.gov.au</u>>; McInerney, April (DEW) <<u>April.Mcinerney@sa.gov.au</u>>;

Burmeister, Kerrie (DEW) < Kerrie. Burmeister@sa.gov.au>

Subject: RE: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-Official-

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Hi Lucy,

Merry Christmas Eve!

I'll flag this with April & Kerrie for them to get back to you with regards to meetings as I'm not sure of the background on this one.

FYI – I'm on call between Xmas and New Year (at this stage with Min on 30th for Cleland Wildlife Park announcement), and then back into Waymouth Street from 4th Jan.

Cheers, Jo.

Jo Podoliak

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From: Huxter, Lucy (DEW) < <u>Lucy.Huxter@sa.gov.au</u>>
Sent: Thursday, 24 December, 2020 11:01 AM
To: Podoliak, Jo (DEW) < <u>Jo.Podoliak@sa.gov.au</u>>

Subject: FW: 20INV0011495 ROSIE - INV - NPW - Request for a meeting with Martins Brand House [DLM=For-

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Hi Jo

I've been asked to set up a meeting with Pyne and Partners on behalf of the Minister re NBT. I've asked Alisha to let me know when is good for Pyne and Partners. Are you on leave at all over Christmas/New Year? I'll try and set something up that's mutually convenient for all of us.

Thanks Jo.

Lucy Huxter

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Sent: Tuesday, 1 December 2020 3:27 PM

To: DEW:Minister Speirs < Minister.Speirs@sa.gov.au>

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From: Ron Gauci <ron@aiia.com.au>
Sent: Friday, 18 February, 2022 11:21 AM

To: Schutz, John (DEW)

Subject: Invitation Only: The Trust Imperative

Dear John

The AllA invites you to a special breakfast event to discuss The Trust Imperative.

Salesforce and BCG have collaborated for a second year running to examine the relationship between government service delivery and trust in government. Their new research, "The Trust Imperative - This time it's personal," unpacks the parameters of the permission to personalise at a time when citizens are providing more data than ever before. The AIIA is hosting this special event for you to learn more about this important work.

Background:

Almost 3000 Australians and New Zealanders were surveyed on the issues of personalisation, proactive government and tailored services. Across A/NZ, 76 per cent of customers said that they expect government services to be tailored to their individual circumstances and 87 per cent expect some level of proactivity from agencies.

Invitation:

The AIIA would be delighted if you would join us in this discussion with BCG and Salesforce to share your views on unpacking what this personalisation looks like in the government context of tighter fiscal environments, the centralisation of service delivery and the trend towards single government interfaces with customers.

We will also look at navigating the tensions between agencies' roles as data custodians and the growing need and demand for both data sharing and transparency.

Details:

When: Tuesday March 8, 2022
Time: 7:30am start - 9:15am
Where: The Hilton Hotel, Adelaide

Registration: Register Here

Speakers:



Christopher Pyne:

Christopher Pyne served as the 54th Australian Defence Minister. He was responsible for delivering the \$200 billion build-up of Australia's military capability, the largest in Australia's peacetime history.

Serving previously as Minister for Defence Industry, Christopher assisted in developing the 2016 Defence White Paper and implementing the Integrated Investment Program.

He has a Bachelor of Laws from the University of Adelaide, a Graduate Diploma of Legal Practice from the University of South Australia and an Honorary Doctorate in the School of the Professions from the University of Adelaide.

He is the author of two books – "A Letter to my Children", published in 2015 by Melbourne University Press and "The Insider", published in 2020 by Hachette Australia.

Christopher has a weekly column in The Adelaide Advertiser called "Pyne on Monday" and hosts a podcast series through the Southern Cross Austereo owned Listnr service called "Pyne Time".



Gisele Kapterian

Gisele Kapterian is Senior Director, Public Sector Strategy, APAC at Salesforce. Prior to joining Salesforce, Gisele served five years as political adviser to three Australian Federal Cabinet Ministers, including as Chief of Staff in the super-portfolio of Industry, Innovation and Employment.

Her responsibilities and achievements while in government include helping drive and shape the Australian Government's tech future strategy, trade components of the Foreign Policy White Paper, and elevating

and prioritising digital trade issues, including helping drive the digital trade agenda initiative at the 11th WTO Ministerial.

As an international trade lawyer, Gislele advised sovereign governments and the private sector on trade matters, appearing as counsel before dispute resolution panels and the World Trade Organization Appellate Body. She also lectured in International Trade Law and Finance at Macquarie University.



Glenn Rozet

Glenn has over 20 years' experience working across industries with large multinational IT organisations. He joined Salesforce in 2015 responsible for Salesforce's Victorian and South Australian State Government business. In 2016 Glenn was appointed Regional Vice President for Salesforce's Public Sector business in Australia and New Zealand. He works with governments and agencies to enable new citizen engagement strategies and service delivery models that move the thinking from being considered historically citizens to now real customers of government.

Glenn works closely with governments, executives, and industry to build a vision for what can be achieved in an era of significant technology and service transformation.

What others have said about this:

Australian Financial Review: <u>'Show us</u>
the benefits': people want public data
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InnovationAus: <u>NSW stands</u>
out in digital govt services
survey

The Mandarin: <u>Australians expect</u> tailored government services, research finds

We look forward to you sharing your experience driving significant process reform and your vision for the future of government at breakfast.

Ron Gauci Chief Executive Officer AllA, Level 14, 839 Collins Street, Docklands Vic 3008





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