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Freedom of Information Authorisation 2023

I, Dr Gordon de Brouwer, acting under section 23 of the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* being a principal officer within in the meaning of the Act hereby:

(a) revoke all previous authorisations relating to the performance of functions under the Act;

(b) authorise each person for the time being performing duties in the Australian Public Service Commission described in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to this instrument to make decisions on my behalf as specified in Part 2 of that Schedule; and

(c) authorise each person for the time being performing duties in the Australian Public Service Commission described in Part 1 of Schedule 2 to this instrument to make decisions on my behalf as specified in Part 2 of that Schedule

Dated 17 October 2023

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Dr Gordon de Brouwer
Australian Public Service Commissioner

Schedule 1

Part 1 – Positions
SES Band 3 employees
SES Band 2 employees
SES Band 1 employees
Executive Director employees
General Counsel

Part 2 – Decisions
All decisions under the Act and any Regulations made under the Act.

Note: the positions above include employees acting in those positions

Schedule 2

Part 1 – Positions
EL2 employees, in relation to a request relating primarily to their work area
Employees in Legal area, led by the General Counsel

Part 2 – Decisions
All decisions made under the Act and any Regulations made under the Act except decisions under Part VI of the Act in relation to applications for internal review.

Note 1: for EL2 employees, allocation will occur following consultation with responsible SES Band 1 or Executive Director.

Note 2: the positions above include employees acting in those positions