

Freedom of Information (Authorised Persons – National Archives of Australia)

# **AUTHORISATIONS**

Freedom of Information Act 1982

I, David Brian Fricker, Director-General of the National Archives of Australia and principal officer of the agency approve the following arrangements for the purpose of the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (Cth).

A person from time to time holding, occupying or performing the duties of the positions listed in clause 5 below may make the specified decisions in relation to requests received by the agency under the Act.

DAVID BRIAN FRICKER DIRECTOR-GENERAL **30 March** 2019

## 1 Name of Authorisation

This Authorisation comprises the *Freedom of Information* (Authorised Persons – National Archives of Australia).

## 2 Commencement

These Authorisations commence on the date they are made.

# 3 Definition

In this Authorisation: *Act* means the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (Cth) *Archives* means the National Archives of Australia.

# 4 Revocation

All previous authorisations issued are revoked.

### 5 Decisions

For subsection 23(1) of the Act, a person occupying a position in the Archives mentioned in the following table may make a decision about a request made to the Archives under the Act.

- 1. Assistant Director-General, Corporate Services
- 2. Director, Corporate Governance
- 3. Assistant Director, Corporate Governance
- 4. Manager, Corporate Governance
- 5. Manager, Legal & Policy Coordination

For section 29 of the Act, a person occupying a position in the Archives mentioned in the following table may make a decision in respect of charges imposed by the Archives under the Act.

#### Item Position

- 1. Assistant Director-General, Information and Technology
- 2. Assistant Director-General, Collection Management
- 3. Assistant Director-General, Access and Public Engagement
- 4. Assistant Director-General, Corporate Services
- 5. Director, Corporate Governance
- 6. Assistant Director, Corporate Governance

For section 54C of the Act, a person occupying a position in the Archives mentioned in the following table may make a decision in respect of an internal review under the Act, provided that the person making the decision on the internal review:

- (a) did not make the original decision; and
- (b) is of a more senior classification than the person who made the original decision.

#### Item Position

- 1. Assistant Director-General, Information and Technology
- 2. Assistant Director-General, Collection Management
- 3. Assistant Director-General, Access and Public Engagement
- 4. Assistant Director-General, Corporate Services
- 5. Director, Corporate Governance
- 6. Director, Declassification Unit
- 7. Director, Reference Services
- 8. Regional Manager North, Access and Public Engagement
- 9. Assistant Director, Declassification Unit