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Dear

Re: Freedom of Information Act application

In reference to your application made pursuant to the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (FOI Act), access was sought to:

“All correspondence (including whatsapp, text messages, email) between SAPOL and the Minister for Police, or the Minister for Health, or their offices concerning the Freedom Of Information application from Jack Batty MP (SAPOL reference 25-1058) . All correspondence (including whatsapp, text messages, email) between SAPOL and the Minister for Police, or the Minister for Health, or their offices concerning data about delay incidents in hospital emergency departments. Date range of 8 January 2025 to 13 January 2025.”

The South Australia Police (SAPOL) has identified documents relevant to your request. These documents are listed and described in the attached schedule. The schedule also details the determination made in accordance with section 23, including the specific grounds for any refusals and the reasons for those refusals.

SA POLICE - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION UNIT SCHEDULE			
No.	Document Description	Status	Clause
1	SAPOL response to Minister's Office re mental health stats	Partial Release	6(1)
1a	Email attachment to Doc 1	Full Release	
2	RE_ Mental health SAPOL taskings_ Tiser inquiry	Partial Release	6(1)
3	Email: RE_ Police transfers to hospital	Partial Release	6(1)



JUSTIFICATION FOR PARTIAL RELEASE PURSUANT TO CLAUSE 6(1)

Clause 6(1) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act which states:

“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 redacted text reveals the mobile phone numbers of individual employees. Since these numbers are used for both business and personal purposes, I consider them to be part of the third party's personal affairs. Disclosing them would be unreasonable due to the risk of individuals being contacted outside of business hours and I therefore consider them exempt from disclosure.

Your rights to review

If you are dissatisfied with this determination, you are entitled to exercise your right of internal review in accordance with section 29(1) of the FOI Act by completing a PD362 Application for Internal Review form, which can be downloaded from <https://www.police.sa.gov.au/services-and-events/freedom-of-information> or available upon request at your nearest police station. Alternatively, an application may be made in writing to the SAPOL Freedom of Information Unit. This application must be lodged within 30 (calendar) days after you receive this letter with a fee of \$42.00, if applicable.

Disclosure Log

In accordance with the requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045, details of your FOI application, and any documents or information to which you are given access will be published on the SAPOL website Disclosure Log.

A copy of PC045 can be found at:

https://www.dpc.sa.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0019/20818/PC045-Disclosure-Logs.pdf.

If you disagree with publication, please advise the undersigned in writing by 10 March 2025.

Yours sincerely



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Freedom of Information Unit
(Accredited Freedom of Information Officer)

7 February 2025