

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

SELECT COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES 2022-2023

Mr James Milligan MLA (Chair), Mr Andrew Braddock MLA (Deputy Chair),

Dr Marisa Paterson MLA

## **ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

Elizabeth Lee MLA: To ask the Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate:

- 1. In relation to the recruitment process for the current Cultural Facilities Corporation (CFC) Chief Executive Officer, please provide:
  - a) Recruitment process evaluation reports for all applicants;
  - b) Deidentified resumes of all applicants;
  - c) All internal and external correspondence to and from CMTEDD regarding the recruitment process;
  - d) All briefs to ministers, including their staff, regarding the recruitment process and appointment of the successful candidate;
  - e) All correspondence, including but not limited to, letters, emails, and text messages, to and from ministers, including their staff, regarding the recruitment process and appointment of the successful candidate.

Andrew Barr MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows: -

Under s.11 of the *Cultural Facilities Corporation Act 1997*, the Chief Executive Officer is a public servant appointed by the Head of Service.

- a) b) The Head of Service has advised me that it is not possible to provide meaningful copies of these documents given the private information contained in them that would need to be redacted. The Head of Service has advised me that an application seeking access to these same documents has been received under the Freedom of Information Act. The application will be assessed in accordance with the Act.
- c) d) e) To the extent that documents exist that do not deal with the private information of individuals, the Head of Service has advised me that an application seeking access to these same documents has been received under the Freedom of Information Act. The application will be assessed in accordance with the Act.

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023

Signature: Andrew Date: 9.9.22

By the Chief Minister, Mr Andrew Barr MLA