

12 June 2020

Dr R Woodruff MP 1 Salamanca Place Parliament House HOBART TAS 7000

Dear Dr Woodruff

Right to Information Request 19 December 2018

I refer to your request pursuant to the *Right to Information Act 2009* (RTI Act) received on 19 December 2018 by Hydro Tasmania.

I am authorised to make decisions on behalf of Hydro Tasmania in respect of applications for information under the RTI Act.

I refer to Mr Greer's email of 27 April 2019 to Michael Howarth regarding the possibility of providing an electronic copy of the response, and requesting details of the basis upon which the redactions were made.

As to the electronic copy I advise that it is not the business' policy to provide this. As to the redactions I can advise:

- Some minor redaction was made where the material touched on the technical material which was outside the agreed scope;
- Other partial redactions were in relation to personal information, which is exempt subject to s36; and
- Remaining partial redactions were in relation to opinion and advice, or consultations and deliberations by, and between, officers of the business, which are exempt pursuant to s35; with the un-redacted material being 'factual information' which is not exempt under that section.

You are entitled under section 43 of the RTI Act to apply for a review of the decision.

Any request for such a review should be made in writing within twenty (20) working days of the date of this letter and addressed to:



Mr S Davy Chief Executive Officer Hydro Tasmania 4 Elizabeth Street HOBART TAS 7000

This request is now considered closed.

Yours sincerely

Steve Davy

CEO