

2 January 2025

Jay Burstin

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Dear Mr Burstin

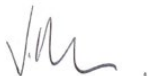
### Freedom of Information Request

I refer to my letter of 2 December 2024. In that letter, I advised that your request for access to documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (“**FOI Act**”) from the Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority (“**VCAA**”) was not valid, as you had not paid the application fee.

It has been 31 days since that letter was sent to you. You have not responded to that letter by paying the application fee or sought a fee waiver or reduction on the basis of hardship.

Accordingly, I have decided to refuse your request under section 17(2) of the Act. You do not have review rights under the Act, as the request you made was not valid.

Yours sincerely



**Jenny Morris**  
Principal Solicitor