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Mr Paul Murdoch  
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Dear Mr Murdoch

**Application for access to documents – Footpath Closure Permit Application**

I refer to your recent application under the *Right to Information Act 2009* (the RTI Act) for access to the *All documentation, emails and reports relating to, or relied upon in the planning and preparation of the Application/Notice to work on Council Property (Footpath Closure Permit Application) submitted to BCC on 6/10/10 in respect of the Standley Street South Brisbane footpath closure sought as a consequence of the QCH construction project and any subsequent negotiations/discussions with BCC for the period February 2010 – present* [26 November 2010].

Thank you for agreeing to the additional time for the processing of your application which is much appreciated.

**Access decision**

I have identified that Queensland Health holds the following documents which are covered by your application.

DOCUMENT	Number of pages	Number of relevant pages
Footpath Application – 6 October 2010	47	47
InterSafe Report regarding Canvassing Options – Queensland Children’s Hospital – Stanley Street Unloading – 19 November 2010	18	18
Statistics – Pedestrian Comparison	1	1
MAP – Pedestrian Comparison – Movements	1	1
Correspondence re: Footpath Application	60	60

A total of 127 pages are covered by your application. I have decided to grant you full access to all 127 pages. The date of my decision is **24 January 2011**.

## **Processing and access charges**

I confirm that attached to your RTI application was a copy of the letter dated 25 November 2010 wherein the Right to Information Commissioner decided that the Brisbane Central Business District Bicycle User Group (BCBDBUG) is a non-profit organisation with financial hardship status.

As your organisation has been granted financial hardship status, any processing and access charges applicable to your RTI application have been waived.

Therefore, please find **enclosed** a photocopy of the documents to which you have been granted access.

## **Review rights**

If you disagree with my decision on access, you may apply to have the decision reviewed.

The RTI Act provides two separate levels of review of access decisions:

- **Internal review\***, conducted by another, not less senior, officer of the agency that made the access decision
- **External review**, conducted by the independent Office of the Information Commissioner.

\* Please note that internal review is an optional step. You may elect to apply for internal review, or alternatively, you may apply directly to the Office of the Information Commissioner for external review. (Please do not seek both levels of review at the same time).

### **To apply for internal review**

An application for internal review must be made in writing within 20 business days after the date of this decision letter. No specific form of application is required. Your application can be lodged in one of the following ways –

In person: Administrative Law Team, Level 12, Qld Health Building, 147-163 Charlotte St, Brisbane  
Post: Administrative Law Team, Queensland Health, GPO Box 48, Brisbane Qld 4001  
Email: [RTI-Privacy@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:RTI-Privacy@health.qld.gov.au)  
Online: <https://www.smartservice.qld.gov.au/services/information-requests/review.action>

### **To apply for external review**

If you wish to apply for an external review of my decision, your application should be lodged in writing within 20 business days after the date of this decision letter. Your application can be lodged with the Information Commissioner in one of the following ways –

In person: Level 8, 160 Mary St, Brisbane  
Post: PO Box 10143, Adelaide Street, Brisbane, Qld 4000  
Fax: (07) 3405 1122  
Email: [administration@oic.qld.gov.au](mailto:administration@oic.qld.gov.au)  
Online: <http://www.oic.qld.gov.au/application-external-review>

Please feel free to contact me on telephone (07) 3234 1735 should you have any queries regarding your application.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C Bruinsma".

Christine Bruinsma  
**Senior Policy Officer**  
**Administrative Law Team**  
**Queensland Health**  
24 January 2011