

13 January 2014

Our File: IAPPO-2013-34 & IAPPO-2013-035

REPLY BY EMAIL

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Dear [REDACTED]

Re: Request to Access Information

Response to the following two requests for information on 14 November 2013:

IAPPO-2013-034

Request: All correspondence, including attachments, appendices, enclosures, etc., between Dr. David Higgins or Persons acting on his behalf and representative(s) of Pearson Education. The nature of the correspondence involves a chemistry textbook being developed by [REDACTED].

The period of time that is being requested is 01 December 2010 - 31 July 2011.

IAPPO-2013-035

Request: All correspondence, including attachments, appendices, enclosures, etc., between Dr. Janet Paterson-Weir or Pearsons acting on her behalf and writers, authors, or editors. The nature of the correspondence involves a chemistry textbook being developed by [REDACTED].

The period of time that is being requested is 01 July 2011 to 24 March

For the above mentioned requests, this office had requested an extensive search by the offices of the Dean, Arts & Science and the Vice President Academic & Provost. There are no such communications held in either of those offices pertaining to your request. However, the only communications were held in a central file and are attached.

All redactions on the attached record are applied as per:

Section 27

- (1) *The head of a public body may refuse to disclose to an applicant*
- (a) *information that is subject to any type of legal privilege, including solicitor-client privilege or parliamentary privilege.*
 - (b) *information prepared by or for (iii) an agent or lawyer of a public body*
 - (c) *information in correspondence between (iii) an agent or lawyer of a public body.*