

Freedom of Information Unit
Department of Planning and Community Development
GPO Box, 2392
Melbourne VIC 3001

11 December 2007

Dear sir/madam

I request copies of all documents provided to the Minister for Planning as the basis for his decision not to require an Environmental Effects Statement in relation to the Government's decision to decommission Lake Mokoan and his determination that:

- The environmental investigations into decommissioning Lake Mokoan have been comprehensive and provide an adequate basis upon which to assess potential environmental effects;
- The project is unlikely to cause significant adverse environmental effects and is expected to provide a clear net environmental benefit for the Broken, Goulburn, Murray and Snowy Rivers.

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A cheque for \$22 covering the FOI application fee is attached.

Yours sincerely

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