



# Department of Justice and Regulation

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Our ref: [REDACTED]

Your ref: FOI Online [REDACTED]

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VIC [REDACTED]

By email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

## Freedom of Information

The following is my decision on your request under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (the FOI Act).

The terms of your request are:

*Documents that reveal the following:*

- 1. The total number of female sex workers (exempt) on the register administered by the Business Licensing Authority as at 30/06/2018.*
- 2. The total number of male sex workers (exempt) on the register administered by the Business Licensing Authority as at 30/06/2018.*

## Section 19

Section 19 provides that:

- where there are no discrete documents relevant to the request; and
- the department is able to produce a document containing the information sought by the ordinary use of a computer or other like equipment

then the agency is required to deal with that request as if it were a request for that document.

The department was able to create a one page document.

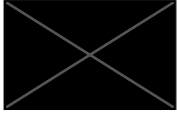
## Decision

I have decided to grant access to one page in full.

In this instance, I have waived any associated costs with the creation of a document under section 19 of the Act. Please find the document to which you have been granted access enclosed.

If you have any queries, please contact this office by telephone or by writing to the mailing address shown at the top of this letter or by email to [foi@justice.vic.gov.au](mailto:foi@justice.vic.gov.au).

Yours sincerely



Team Leader, Freedom of Information



Number of female and male sex workers (exempt) extracted from the Register kept by the Business Licensing Authority:

Female as at 30/06/2018: 793

Male as at 30/06/2018: 208

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