SafeWork NSW



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Re: Acknowledgement of application for access to government information

SafeWork NSW received your application under the *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009* (GIPA Act), along with payment of the \$30 application fee, on 30 July 2025.

You request all records relating to Requests for Service (RFS), complaints, tip-offs, calls, notifications, inspections, regulatory actions, internal assessments, or correspondence regarding any of the following entities:

- AWB Contractors Pty Ltd (ACN 102 299 409)
- Ability Barge Services (ACN 101 989 075)
- Australian Wharf & Bridge Pty Limited (ACN 002 038 048)
- AWB Waterfront Constructions Pty Ltd (ACN 097 667 206)
- Ficafa Pty Ltd (ACN 003 355 682)
- PLW Investments Pty. Limited (ACN 086 048 923)
- The Trustee for PLW Investments Trust (ABN 36 112 130 786) and its trading names active since 30 October 2024 of AWB CONTRACTORS and AWB GROUP

You also request any and all records between 1 January 2015 and 30 July 2025 that refer to any of the above, including:

- Tip offs
- Unlicensed crane operation or machinery use
- Site safety complaints or concerns
- Dangerous work practices
- Triage decisions
- Requests or complaints submitted by the public, workers, other regulators, or contractors

Your application is deemed to be valid and SafeWork NSW is required to make a decision within 20 working days of receipt. This would make the decision date **27 August 2025**.

As a legislated requirement, SafeWork NSW is obliged to advise that if your application is not decided within 20 working days, it is taken by the GIPA Act to be 'deemed refused'. However, the



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deemed refusal does not prevent SafeWork NSW from continuing to deal with, and subsequently decide, your application. As outlined in the enclosed fact sheet, you are entitled to seek a review of an application that is deemed refused. However, I encourage you to contact the Right to Information Officer to discuss your application if this occurs.

Please be assured that SafeWork NSW will continue to deal with the application and our decision will be sent to you as soon as possible. Should your application be deemed refused, you are entitled to a refund of your application fee.

If you are granted access there may be charges for processing your application, depending on the extent of information that falls within the scope of your request. The application fee you have paid will count towards these charges. We will provide you with an estimate of any charges at the earliest opportunity and you will have the opportunity to seek a discount or waiver. We may ask that you pay an advanced deposit of up to 50 per cent of the estimated costs. You also have the right to seek a review of our decision about processing charges.

Rights of Review

If you disagree with the decision, you may seek review under Part 5 of the Act. Please refer to the attached fact sheet entitled, *Your review rights under the GIPA Act*. Please note that applications for review must be made in writing.

If you have any questions, or you wish to check the status of your application, please contact me on (02) 9289 1352.

Sincerely,

B.Castle