

## Office of the Assistant Treasurer

8 April 2014

File: ER2014/01394 FOI ref: 1474

Mr Phillip Sweeney

Dear Mr Sweeney

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

I refer to your request of 9 March 2014 under the Freedom of Information Act 1982 (the Act), in which you sought copies of documents relating to:

"Copies of Deeds associated with an employee benefit trust then known as The Provident Fund where the Employer was Elder Smith & Co Limited and then later Elder Smith Goldsbrough Mort Limited. The Deeds are dated as follows: (i) Consolidation Deed of Variation dated 6 May 1958, (ii) Deed of Variation dated 20 November 1974. The Office of the Assistant Treasurer would be the place to start."

I am an authorised decision maker under section 23 of the Act.

A search has been conducted for documents relevant to your request. No documents have been found that would fall within the terms of your request. In accordance with subparagraph 24A(1)(b)(ii) of the Act I refuse access to documents on the grounds that no documents exist.

A copy of subsection 24A(1) of the Act and information on your rights of review are attached.

There is no charge for this request.

Yours sincerely

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