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Dear Mr Rice,

Re: Freedom of Information Act application

In reference to your application made pursuant to the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 1991, access was sought to:

"I am seeking a list of suspicious fires across metropolitan Adelaide. I am requesting information including the date, location (street and suburb), type of fire (house, car, fence etc.) and estimated damage. I also wish to request information for each incident on whether police laid any charges or the investigation is continuing. Time period 01/07/2017 – 30/09/2020."

It is determined to **release in full** data that falls within the scope of your request. The data has been presented in the table below and was current as at 21 January 2021.

Date	Location	Fire	Estimated damages	Charges laid	Investigation status
17/08/2017	Kimber Court Salisbury	Vehicle	\$3,000	No	Filed
06/10/2017	Frith St Elizabeth Grove	Vehicle	\$15,000	No	Filed
05/01/2018	Black Top Road One Tree Hill	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
07/02/2018	Quailo Ave Hallett Cove	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
10/03/2018	Holcomb St Elizabeth East	Rubbish	\$20	No	Filed
19/04/2018	Mofflin Rd Elizabeth Grove	Grass / Bins	\$200	No	Filed
30/07/2018	Gorge Rd Paradise	Vehicle	\$5,000	No	Filed
12/12/2018	Deloraine Ct Edwardstown	Grass / Trees	\$2,000	Yes	Finalised
25/12/2018	Hedde St Smithfield Plains	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
05/01/2019	Newton Bvd Munno Para	Grass / Scrub	\$1	No	Filed
05/01/2019	Demannu Rd Munno Para Downs	Grass	\$3,700	No	Filed
08/01/2019	Linwood Cres Parafield Gardens	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
08/01/2019	Yorktown Rd Elizabeth East	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
11/01/2019	Vartue St Parafield Gardens	Grass	\$100	No	Filed
15/01/2019	Stebonheath Rd Smithfield Plains	Grass	\$1	No	Filed



24/01/2019	Heaslip Rd Angle Vale	Grass / Fence	\$1,500	No	Filed
10/02/2019	Pedlar St Seaton	Grass	\$150	No	Filed
13/02/2019	Lasscock Ave Lockleys	Grass	\$5	No	Filed
01/03/2019	Crafter St Davoren Park	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
01/03/2019	Main North Rd Elizabeth	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
09/03/2019	Hedde St Smithfield Plains	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
16/03/2019	Canberra Dr Aberfoyle Park	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
25/03/2019	Piper St Parafield Gardens	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
16/04/2019	Newton Bvd Munno Para	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
23/04/2019	Brandis Rd Munno Para West	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
25/04/2019	Glenburnie Tce Plympton	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
01/11/2019	HopeValley Reservoir Hope Valley	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
05/11/2019	Coleman Rd Waterloo Corner	Grass	\$100	No	Filed
16/11/2019	Undo Rd Waterloo Corner	Grass	\$100	No	Filed
16/11/2019	Walking track Panorama	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
17/11/2019	Unity Way Munno Para	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
18/11/2019	Main North Road Smithfield	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
20/11/2019	Grundy Rd, Lightsvie	Grass	\$100	No	Filed
20/11/2019	Main North Road Elizabeth Downs	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
21/11/2019	Northhampton Cres Elizabeth East	Grass / Carport	\$10,000	No	Filed
21/11/2019	Rushworth St Blair Athol	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
25/11/2019	Station Rd Smithfield	Grass	\$10	No	Filed
27/11/2019	Yatala Vale Rd Fairview Park	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
10/12/2019	Freebairn Dr Hallett Cove	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
18/12/2019	Nicoll Dr Morphett Vale	Grass / Vehicle	\$5,000	No	Filed
01/01/2020	Lenger Rd Mount Torrens	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
09/01/2020	Beach Road Noarlunga Centre	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
27/01/2020	Murray St Thebarton	Grass	Nil	No	Filed
28/02/2020	Alcanabie Rd Streaky Bay	Grass	\$50	No	Filed
28/02/2020	Brisbane Drive Salisbury Heights	Grass	\$100	Yes	Charged
08/03/2020	Albert Tce Morphett Vale	Bin	\$200	No	Filed
09/03/2020	Grigg St Marden	Structural	\$200,000	No	Filed
09/03/2020	Douglas Ave Salisbury East	Vehicle	\$9,000	No	Filed
11/03/2020	Woodford Rd Elizabeth North	Vehicle	\$17,000	No	Filed
11/03/2020	Torrens Rd Brompton	Structural	\$20,000	No	Filed
16/03/2020	Second St Brompton	Vehicle	\$2,100	No	Filed
16/03/2020	Bradman Rd Parafield Gardens	Bin	\$100	No	Filed
17/03/2020	Pedlar St Seaton	Vehicle	\$1,000	No	Filed
18/03/2020	Fleming St Mansfield Park	Vehicle	\$7,000	No	Filed
23/03/2020	Industry Rd Wingfield	Vehicle	\$10,000	No	Filed
28/03/2020	Grand Junction Rd Mansfield Park	Structural	\$15,000	No	Filed
29/03/2020	King Rd Penfield Gardens	Vehicle	\$50,000	No	Filed
29/03/2020	Addison Rd Pennington	Grass/Tree	Nil	No	Filed
30/03/2020	Welwyn Rd Manningham	Vehicle	\$8,000	No	Filed

30/03/2020	Port Rd Woodville West	Structural	\$2,000	No	Filed
07/04/2020	Main North Rd Gepps Cross	Bins	\$1,000	No	Filed
08/04/2020	Huntingdale Rd Noarlunga Downs	Structural	\$200,000	Yes	Charged
13/04/2020	Philip Hwy Elizabeth	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
15/04/2020	Fooks Tce St Kilda	Grass	\$1	No	Filed
20/04/2020	Clayson Rd Salisbury East	Vehicle	\$3,000	No	Filed
21/04/2020	Sandleheath Rd Elizabeth Grove	Vehicle	\$10,000	No	Filed
24/04/2020	Albert St Semaphore	Structural	\$45,000	No	Filed
24/04/2020	Rundle St Adelaide	Structural	\$5,800	Yes	Charged
25/04/2020	Emerald Bvd Aldinga Beach	Vehicle	\$10,000	No	Filed
26/04/2020	Oaklands Rd Park Holme	Structural	\$150,000	No	Filed
27/04/2020	Adrian St Ingle Farm	Rubbish	\$2,000	No	Filed
29/04/2020	William Dr Davoren Park	Structural	\$30,000	No	Filed
06/05/2020	Archer St North Adelaide	Structural	\$4,100,000	Yes	Charged
08/05/2020	Archer St North Adelaide	Fence	\$10,000	Yes	Charged
25/05/2020	Dewar Ct, Christie Downs	Structural	\$60,000	No	Filed
29/05/2020	Richardson Rd Elizabeth South	Structural	\$50,000	Yes	Charged
30/05/2020	Main South Rd Morphett Vale	Tree	\$500	No	Filed
31/05/2020	Pinda Crt Craigmore	Vehicle	\$2,400	No	Filed
06/06/2020	Whaler Rd Seaford	Vehicle	\$1,000	No	Filed
11/06/2020	Garland Ave Kilburn	Structural	\$10,000	No	Filed
21/06/2020	Port Rd Hindmarsh	Structural	\$50,000	No	Filed
21/06/2020	States Rd Morphett Vale	Structural	\$25,000	Yes	Charged
03/07/2020	Willison Rd Elizabeth South	Vehicle	\$1,000	No	Filed
05/07/2020	West Tce Adelaide	Temporary Structure	\$1,000	No	Filed
09/07/2020	North East Rd Collinswood	Structural	\$300	No	Filed
11/07/2020	Aberdeen Lane Andrews Farm	Vehicle	\$6,000	No	Filed
13/07/2020	Cross Keys Rd Brahma Lodge	Structural	\$100,000	No	Filed
14/07/2020	Chad St Christies Downs	Structural	\$3,000	No	Filed
24/07/2020	Whiting Crt Elizabeth North	Structural	\$100,000	No	Filed
25/07/2020	Callanna Crt Craigmore	Vehicle	\$8,000	No	Filed
25/07/2020	Anderson Walk Smithfield	Structural	\$100	No	Filed
01/08/2020	Treweck Ave Hillcrest	Vehicle	\$5,000	No	Filed
01/08/2020	Overland Rd Croydon Park	Vehicle	\$5,000	No	Filed
11/08/2020	Goodman Ave Kilburn	Furniture	\$100	No	Filed
12/08/2020	Gooronga Dr Craigmore	Vehicle	\$15,000	No	Filed
18/08/2020	Kenihans Rd Happy Valley	Structural	\$200,000	No	Investigations continuing
22/08/2020	Sir James Hardy Way Woodcroft	Structural	\$1,500,000	No	Investigations continuing
24/08/2020	Wyatt St Lightsview	Vehicle	\$50,000	No	Filed
01/09/2020	Greenwood Cres Smithfield Plains	Rubbish	\$200	No	Filed
03/09/2020	Mooringe Ave, Camden Park	Structural	\$50,000	No	Investigations continuing
04/09/2020	Northcote Walk Mawson Lakes	Vehicle	\$4,000	No	Filed
11/09/2020	Rockbourne St Elizabeth North	Structural	\$10,000	No	Filed

12/09/2020	Kenner St Elizabeth Downs	Vehicle	\$8,000	No	Filed
11/09/2020	North Tce Hackney	Structural	\$30,000	No	Filed
14/09/2020	Bedchester Rd Elizabeth North	Vehicle	\$20,000	No	Investigations continuing
18/09/2020	Williams Rd Gould Creek	Vehicle	\$25,500	No	Filed
18/09/2020	Kentish Rd Elizabeth Downs	Vehicle	\$2,000	No	Filed
20/09/2020	Diane Crt Golden Grove	Vehicle	\$3,500	No	Filed
22/09/2020	Carrington St Adelaide	Structural	\$100	No	Filed
23/09/2020	Gawler Place Adelaide	Vehicle	\$10,000	Yes	Charged
25/09/2020	Sellicks Beach Rd Sellicks Beach	Vehicle	\$500	No	Filed

In accordance with the requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045, details of your FOI application, and the documents to which you are given access, will be published on the SAPOL website Disclosure Log. A copy of PC045 can be found at https://www.dpc.sa.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0019/20818/PC045-Disclosure-Log-Policy.pdf. If you disagree with publication, please advise the undersigned in writing by **2 March 2021**.

Yours sincerely,



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Freedom of Information Unit
 (Interim Freedom of Information Officer)

2 February 2021