



AFPA FOI requests 1 January – 26 November 2023

Average time for processing AFPA requests

The average timeframe for processing AFPA FOI requests between 1 January - 26 November 2023 was 71 days

Number of days to finalise

The below table refers to AFPA FOI requests **received and closed** between 1 January - 26 November 2023 and does not capture requests which were received in 2022 that have been finalised in 2023, and requests received after 1 January 2023, which have not yet been finalised.

LEX ID	Processing Timeframes
1297	54
1327	104
1386	141
1387	141
1465	112
1483	75
1554	26
1592	27
1593	81
1621	39
1643	70
1707	40
1799	49
1949	38
2000	61



Non - AFPA FOI requests 1 January – 26 November 2023

Total number of non-AFPA requests received between 1 January – 26 November 2023

Between 1 January – 26 November 2023, the Australian Federal Police (AFP) received 641 FOI requests from applicants other than the AFPA.

Average time for processing non-AFPA requests

Average timeframe for processing non-AFPA FOI requests between 1 January - 26 November 2023 is 58 days.

* Please note, this figure captures requests where a decision was made. It does not include processing timeframes where a request has been withdrawn.

Number of requests notified within the 30-day period as provided by section 15(5)(b)

The AFP notified 204 applicants of their decision within the initial 30-day period as provided by section 15(5)(b).

Number of FOI requests where timeframe has been extended by section 15(6)

83 requests were extended by section 15(6) of the FOI Act.

Number of FOI requests processed within additional (section 15(6)) timeframe

59 requests were processed within timeframes extended under section 15(6), noting that these requests may have also been extended under sections 15AA, 15AB, 15AC and 15(8).

* Please note due to the limitations on the reports available through the FOI database, it would be an unreasonable diversion of resources to extract data where only section 15(6) extensions applied.

Number of FOI requests processed outside additional (section 15(6)) timeframe

24 requests were processed outside timeframe extended section 15(6), noting that these requests may have also been extended under sections 15AA, 15AB, 15AC and 15(8).

* Please note, due to the limitations on the reports available through the FOI database, it would be an unreasonable diversion of resources to extract data where only section 15(6) extensions applied.

Maximum amount of days to notify applicant of outcome

The maximum amount of time it has taken the AFP to notify an applicant of their outcome is 262 days.