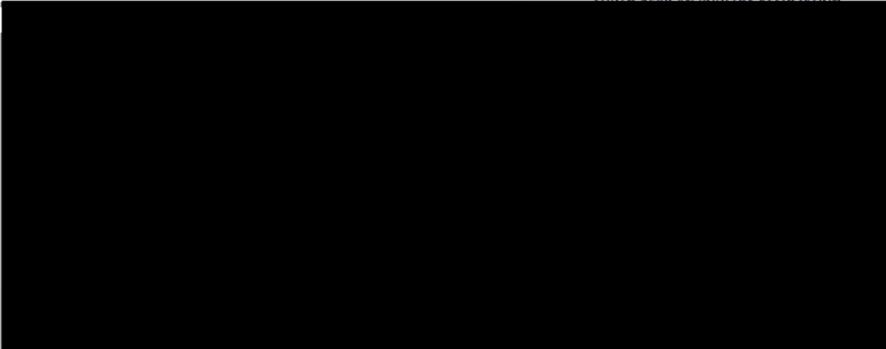




SOUTH AFRICAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION



Dear Sirs

REQUEST TO SAPA IN TERMS OF SECTION 50 OF THE PROMOTION OF ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT, 2 OF 2000 (PAIA)

1. Your Form C request for access to the record of a private body in terms of PAIA dated 25 January 2023 and accompanying letter dated the same, refer. We thank you for the interest that you have shown in the important work done by the South African Poultry Association.

2. Unfortunately we must decline your request for information since several grounds for refusal as set out in PAIA are applicable. Without elaborating on the detail, the following grounds for refusal are relevant to your application:
 - 2.1. Protection of research information as set out in Section 69 of PAIA;
 - 2.2. Protection of commercial information of a private body as set out in Section 68;
 - 2.3. Protection of confidential information of third parties as set out in Section 65;
 - 2.4. Protection of commercial information of third parties as set out in Section 64.

3. Please further note that Section 70 of PAIA is not relevant to your application since there is no contravention of any laws nor any failure to comply with the law. Furthermore, there is also no environmental risk or risk to public safety in any way relevant to the requested information.

