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Good morning all

I'm writing to provide an update on an important change that takes effect today ahead of this afternoon's 4:30pm call.

From today, residential addresses of company officeholders will no longer appear in publicly accessible extracts.

This change responds to long-standing privacy and personal safety concerns, including the risk of identity theft and misuse of personal information. While it does not remove residential address information entirely, it takes immediate action to remove the most publicly accessible source of these details.

Government and law-enforcement agencies, including ASIC, **will continue to access this information through existing channels.**

Positioning within RegistryConnect

The changes are aligned with RegistryConnect reforms to deliver longer-term improvements to uplift the integrity, security and accessibility of ASIC's business registers.

This includes the future linking of director IDs to the companies register which allows the further reduction of personal information being stored on the registers, and stronger methods to validate and authenticate users without exposing private details.

A Treasury consultation on draft laws to improve Australia's business registers is open until 10 February 2026, with ASIC's close engagement with Treasury continuing.

Scheduled communications

External

- [ASIC newsroom item](#) that was published today to support public understanding.
- Targeted stakeholder outreach commencing today via phone calls and direct engagement, including information brokers and Registry Business Advisory Group members.

Internal

- Registry Operations all-staff email from SEL § 22.
- ASICengage article for all ASIC staff.
- Email to OneASIC Consultation Group members and ASIC CRM Champions, linking to

ASICengage. While not a OneASIC platform change specifically, these groups can help cascade awareness.

Please let me know if you would like any further briefing material ahead this afternoon.

Kind regards

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