

From: [REDACT]

Sent: 18 August 2026 11:13

To: [REDACT]

Cc: [REDACT]

Subject: RE: For [REDACT] clearance: Attendance at Defence Summit

Hi [REDACT]

CMECE will not be attending.

[REDACT]



[REDACT]

From: [REDACT]

Sent: 17 August 2026 17:34

To: [REDACT]

Cc: [REDACT]

Subject: Re: For [REDACT] clearance: Attendance at Defence Summit

Hi [REDACT]

Copying in [REDACT] who has been most closely involved with CMECE on this.
[REDACT], see [REDACT] email below.

Thank you,

[REDACT]

From: [REDACT]

Sent: Monday, August 17, 2026 5:28 pm

To: [REDACT]

Cc: [REDACT]

Subject: FW: For [REDACT] clearance: Attendance at Defence Summit

Hi both just back from leave and have picked up on this,

I am aware that the PW has declined, but I don't believe CMECE has confirmed or declined his invitation to the event yet ? Does this mean he won't now attend in light of the statement made below ?

Private Office – for awareness [REDACT] has now confirmed attendance at the event

[REDACT]