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Dear Ms McIntyre

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 11 April 2019, regarding prisoner payphones.

Corrections needs to extend the timeframe of our response to your request by 20 working days, pursuant to section 15A(1)(a) of the OIA, as the request is for a large quantity of official information or necessitates a search through a large quantity of information and meeting the original time limit would unreasonably interfere with the operations of the department. Therefore, you can expect to receive a response to your request by 12 June 2019. If you no longer require this information please let us know as soon as possible.

Please be advised that should you have any concerns regarding this extension you have the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate our decision to extend the timeframe. Contact details are: Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely

Michelle Morehu

Manager Ministerial Services

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