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Dear Nicholas

Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

I am writing further to my response of 27 May 2019 to your request of 12 April 2019 for the official information. I am now able to respond to you regarding the December 2018 and March 2019 Chief Executive's reports to the Board.

The Chief Executive's Report to The Board, dated 14 December 2018, has been released to you in full and is attached.

The Chief Executive's Report to The Board, dated 18 March 2019, has been withheld in full under section 9(2)(g)(i) of the Act to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the free and frank expressions of opinion.

With respect to the information that has been withheld, I do not consider there are any other factors which would render it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available.

Under section 28 of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to withhold some information from this request. The contact details for the Ombudsman can be located at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

If you would like to discuss this reply with the Transport Agency, please contact Andrew Knackstedt, Senior Manager Media, by email to Andrew.Knackstedt@nzta.govt.nz or by phone on 04 894 6285.

Yours sincerely



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