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Dear Mr Grainger

Official Information Act request: Effects of Mixed Ownership Model

Thank you for your email dated 4 May 2012.

The redactions to document RY12/065 have been made for the following reasons:

- 1. disclosure would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of Mighty River Power (OIA, s9(2)(b)(ii)); and
- 2. redaction is necessary to enable Mighty River Power to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities (OIA, s9(2)(i)).

You have asked for all information available on the effect of Mighty River Power being taken out of the scope of the OIA. Other than the advice we gave in our letter dated 26 April 2012 (advising that, although Mighty River Power will no longer be required to respond to OIA requests, this will not affect our FTE requirements as we have no dedicated FTE resource focussed on OIA requests), I confirm that Mighty River Power holds no information on the effect of being taken out of the OIA. As such, this request is refused pursuant to section 18(e) and (g).

To the extent you are not satisfied with this response, you are entitled to raise the matter with the Ombudsman.

Yours sincerely

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Acting General Counsel

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