



File No. 1920-0135

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Dear Barry Garrick

Thank you for your email of 26 July 2019 requesting the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*I would like any advice, memories, notes, or reports given to the Minister of Economic Development on lowering emissions in the Government fleet from 20/12/2016 to 26/10/2017.*

*I would also like to request any advice, memories, notes, or reports on the uptake of electric vehicles/EVs/electric cars in the Government fleet 20/12/2016 to 26/10/2017.*

I am writing to notify you that the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment is extending the timeframe for its response to your request under section 15A(1)(b) of the Act, as consultations necessary to make a decision on the request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original timeframe.

We will now respond to your request on, if not before, 20 September 2019, which is an extension of 20 working days.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of my decision to withhold information relating to this request, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found at: [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Yours sincerely

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**Team Leader**  
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