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Alex Harris

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Dear Alex Harris

Official Information Act Request for Information on the Budget for a Forthcoming Royal Visit

I refer to your Official Information Act request of 29 March 2012 which asked "*how much has been budgeted, across all departments, for the above-mentioned royal visit [by the Prince of Wales and Duchess of Cornwall in November 2012]? I would like a breakdown by department, as well as a total.*"

VIP visits including visits by members of the Royal family are managed by the Visits and Ceremonial Office of the Department of Internal Affairs. The information you have requested appears to be more closely related to the responsibilities of the Visits and Ceremonial Office and, accordingly, I am transferring your request to that office under section 14 of the Official Information Act.

Yours sincerely

Maarten Wevers
Chief Executive