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Dear Mr Nielson

Official Information Request Our Ref: SSCOIA 2019/0265

I refer to our letter to you dated 3 February 2020 where we advised you that we were finalising our consultation on the documents that we had identified fall within scope of your Official Information request we received from you on the 9 December 2019.

Information being released

Please find enclosed the documents outlined in the table below:

Item	Document Description	Decision
1	Agenda's and associated papers for the Social Wellbeing Board meetings for September, October and November.	Released in part

We have decided to release the documents listed above, subject to information being withheld under one or more of the following sections of the OIA, as applicable:

- section 18(d) that the information requested is or will soon be publicly available
- section 9(2)(f)(iv) the confidentiality of advice tendered by Ministers of the Crown and officials
- section 9(2)(f)(iii) the political neutrality of officials
- section 9(2)(f)(i) the confidentiality of communications by or with the Sovereign or her representative
- section 9(2)(g)(i) the free and frank expression of opinions by or between or to Ministers of the Crown or members of an organisation or officers and employees of a department or organisation in the course of their duty

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Ministerial.Services@ssc.govt.nz.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that we intend to publish this letter (with your personal details removed) on the State Services Commission's website.

Yours sincerely

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