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Tēnā koe Scott

I refer to your email of 12 April 2021 in which you request the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

"This request relates to strategic goods export permits.

I request, dated from the beginning of 2018 to the end of 2020, the following data:

•End user; •Application #; •Permit Type; •Permit #; •Date permit granted; •Description of export; •NZSGL identifier

For all strategic goods export permits granted to law enforcement, military or other government end users in the following 10 countries:

*1.Saudi Arabia; 2.China; 3.Laos; 4.UAE; 5.Viet Nam; 6.Russia; 7.Oman; 8.Thailand;
9.Turkey; 10.Hong Kong SAR"*

This letter is to advise that due to the necessity for further consultation, we will need to extend the time limit for responding to you by 15 working days, to 1 June 2021. However, if this process is completed before 1 June 2021, the response will be sent to you as soon as possible. If you have any questions, you can contact us by email at DM-ESD@mfat.govt.nz.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the OIA to seek a review of this response by the Ombudsman.

Nāku noa, nā



Julie-Anne Lee
for Secretary of Foreign Affairs and Trade