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Dear Harold,

Official information request

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 11 May 2021 seeking a copy of the annual review of the national terrorism threat level, completed February 2021.

On 22 June 2021 you received my letter of response, along with a summary of the document requested, as allowed for under section16 (1)(e) of the OIA. In your email of 23 June 2021 you stated that you wished to receive a redacted version of the assessment, rather than a summary.

Please find attached a copy of the Combined Threat Assessment Group's (CTAG) Threat Assessment: *New Zealand Terrorism Threat Level Remains at MEDIUM*, which was published on 1 February 2021.

Some information has been withheld from the document under section 6(a) of the OIA, as the the making available of the information would be likely to prejudice the security or defence of New Zealand or the international relations of the Government of New Zealand.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact oia.privacy@nzsis.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.

Yours sincerely

Rebecca Kitteridge

Te Tumu Whakarae mō Te Pā Whakamarumaru

Director-General of Security

Rebecca Kitheridge