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Reference: OIA-2020/21-0763

Dear Ti Lamusse

**Official Information Act request relating to Aranga Ake**

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act (the Act), received on 12 July 2021. You requested:

*“Please provide all documents held by the DPMC about He Aranga Ake, formerly known as the Multi-Agency Coordination and Intervention Programme. Please include all documents that outline which individuals or institutions created this programme and the decision-making process through which this programme was created e.g. if this was created through legislation or was an operational matter.”*

I believe that the information you have requested is more closely connected with the functions of the New Zealand Police. Accordingly, I have decided under section 14(b)(ii) of the Act to transfer your request to the New Zealand Police.

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet holds Cabinet papers relating to the Government’s response to the Royal Commission of Inquiry into the terrorist attack on Christchurch masjidain, which contain references to He Aranga Ake, formerly known as the Multi-Agency Coordination and Intervention Programme. These documents are publicly available on the following website:

[dpmc.govt.nz/publications/documents-relating-governments-response-royal-commission-inquiry-terrorist-attack](https://dpmc.govt.nz/publications/documents-relating-governments-response-royal-commission-inquiry-terrorist-attack)

The New Zealand Police has the usual timeframes under the Act from receipt of this transfer to make a decision on your request.

Yours sincerely

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