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Harold

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Dear Harold

**Investigation of Official Information Complaint OIA-2021/22-0477 –
Request from Harold Shine for information relating to National Risk Register and
National Risk Report**

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request of 25 October 2021.

Your request was for:

“...a list of every risk profile in the register, including the following details for each profile

- 1) The profile title*
- 2) The identity of the coordinating agency or agencies*
- 3) The date that the current profile was issued (month and year).*
- 4) The profile security classification*

I would also like to request copies of these briefings:

- 1) November 2017: “Improving the management of nationally significant risks” [document ID 4000794]*
- 2) December 2017: “National Risk Register 2018” [document ID 4015680]*
- 3) April 2018: “Cover-note in explanation of attached National Risk items” [document ID 4377343]*
- 4) June, July and August 2018: “Updates on the New Zealand National Risk Report” [document IDs 4057532, 4068687 and 4067533]*
- 5) August 2018: “Aide-Memoire: Ministerial meeting on New Zealand National Risk Report” [document ID 4077370]*
- 6) December 2018: “Managing National Security Risks” [document ID 4101239]*
- 7) January 2019: “Benefits of a publicly available national risk report” [1819NSPD/070]*

8) Any other briefings, dated since February this year, that deal with the topic of the National Risk Register”

After discussions with the Office of the Ombudsman, it has been decided that this information will be released. The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet will endeavour to provide you with the information you have requested by March 2023, subject to redactions made under the Act.

Yours sincerely

Tony Lynch
Deputy Chief Executive
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cc: Office of the Ombudsman