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Dear Garry

**RE Official information request CDHB 10766a**

I refer to your email dated 24 December 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB. Your request being a follow-up to our previous response to OIA CDHB 10766.

- **What the payment was for**
- **A break down of that payment**
- **Invoices from SVA**
- **All emails from SVA about funding, payment and their assistance with the vaccine roll out. What the DHB was hoping would be achieved by paying SVA. Was a tender put out for the services provided by SVA. Any other documents CDHB holds in relation to this payment(s).**

Consultations which are necessary to make a final decision on the request means that a proper response to the request cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

The Canterbury DHB therefore requires further time prior to issuing our response. The period of the extension is until 28 February 2022. We will endeavour to get our response to you before that date.

We are permitted to make this extension under Section 15A of the Official Information Act 1982 and you have the right to complain to the Ombudsman about our decision to extend the time for responding.

Yours sincerely



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