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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Tuesday, 17 August 2021 10:05 AM
To: 'Anna Bracewell Worrall'
Cc: Information (GCSB)
Subject: RE: FW: Your Official Information Act request
Attachments: 4. NZIC Ministerial Satisfaction Survey.pdf; 5. CTAG TA New Zealand COVID-19 vaccination programme - summary.pdf; 6a. Out of scope [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Bracewell-Worrall OIA response.pdf; 1. Out of scope [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] 2. CTAG TA New Zealand Terrorism Threat Level remains at MEDIUM.pdf

Kia ora Anna

Please find attached a response to your OIA request (below).

Kind regards
NZSIS & GCSB

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 10 September 2021 10:05 AM
To: 'Caley Callahan'
Subject: RE: Newshub Official Information Act Request - Security Intelligence Service

Kia ora Caley,

Thank you for your Official Information Act request to the NZSIS. We will provide a response as soon as practicable and within 20 working days of receipt of your request. The 20th working day is 8 October 2021. If we are unable to provide a response by this date we will of course let you know.

Ngā mihi

NZSIS

From: Caley Callahan <caley_callahan@discovery.com>
Sent: Friday, 10 September 2021 9:36 AM
To: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Subject: Newshub Official Information Act Request - Security Intelligence Service

Kia ora,

To whom it may concern,

I request the following information from the Security Intelligence Service (SIS) under the Official Information Act - in relation to threats against places of worship, including but not limited to temples, mosques, churches and synagogues.

- A detailed list of threats against places of worship investigated by the SIS.

Broken down by:

What threat was made

Location/Place of Worship

Date

Action taken

- Any and all correspondence not limited to emails, texts, call records, social media posts intercepted or obtained by the SIS, associated with any of the threats listed above.

Between January 1, 2019 and today's date September 10, 2021.

Please notify me if there are any issues with this request. Additionally I will stay in touch throughout the period in which you are required to reply – 20 working days from today's date.

Please send the response electronically to caley_callahan@discovery.com

If needed, it can also be posted to:

Caley Callahan
Discovery TV/Newshub
15 Walter Street, Te Aro
Wellington 6011

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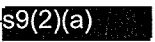
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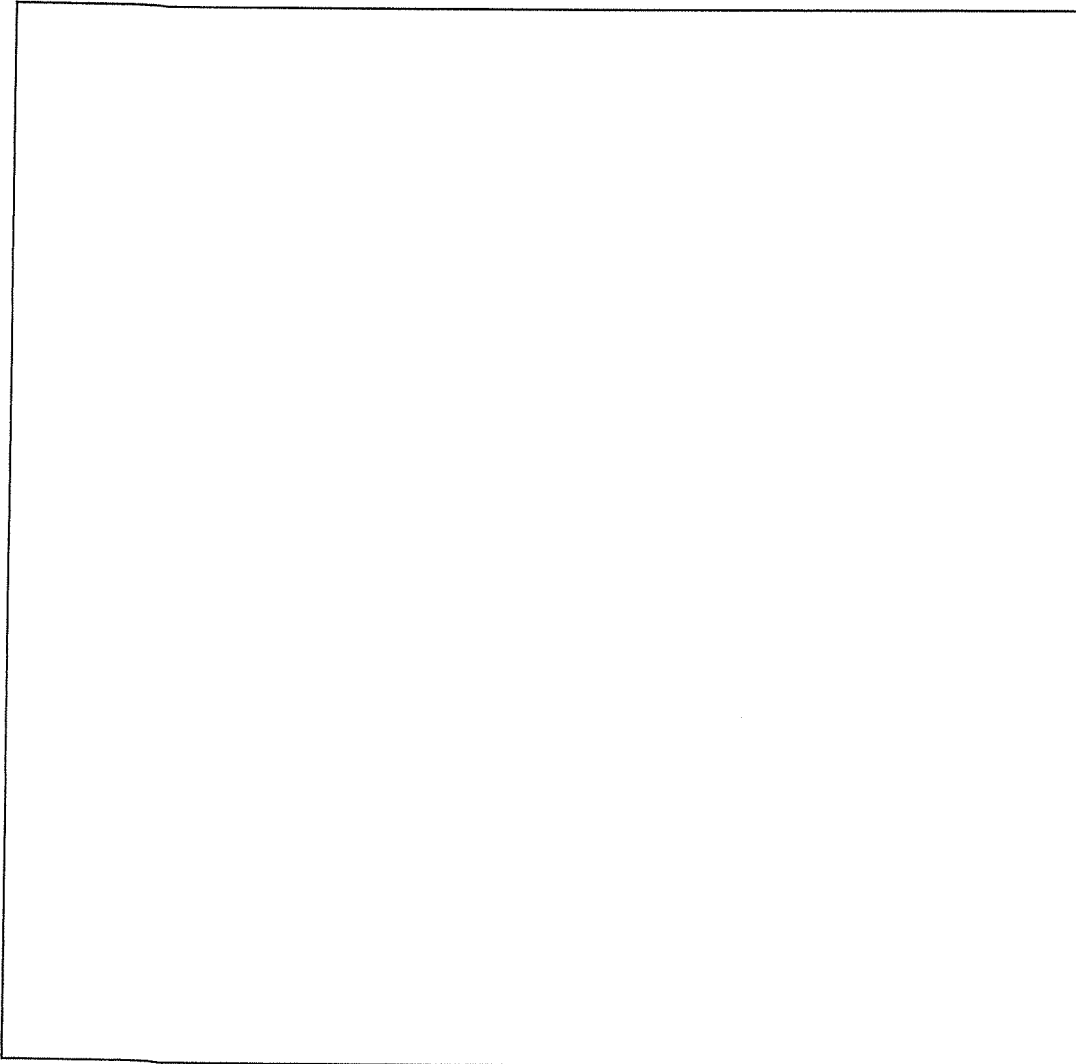
Kind regards,

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CALEY CALLAHAN NEWS AND SPORTS REPORTER NEWSHUB

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Thursday, 7 October 2021 3:46 PM
To: 'Caley Callahan'
Subject: RE: Newshub Official Information Act Request - Security Intelligence Service
Attachments: NZSIS Response Caley Callahan 7 October 2021.pdf

Kia ora Caley,

Please find attached the NZSIS's response to your OIA request.

Ngā mihi

NZSIS

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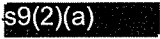
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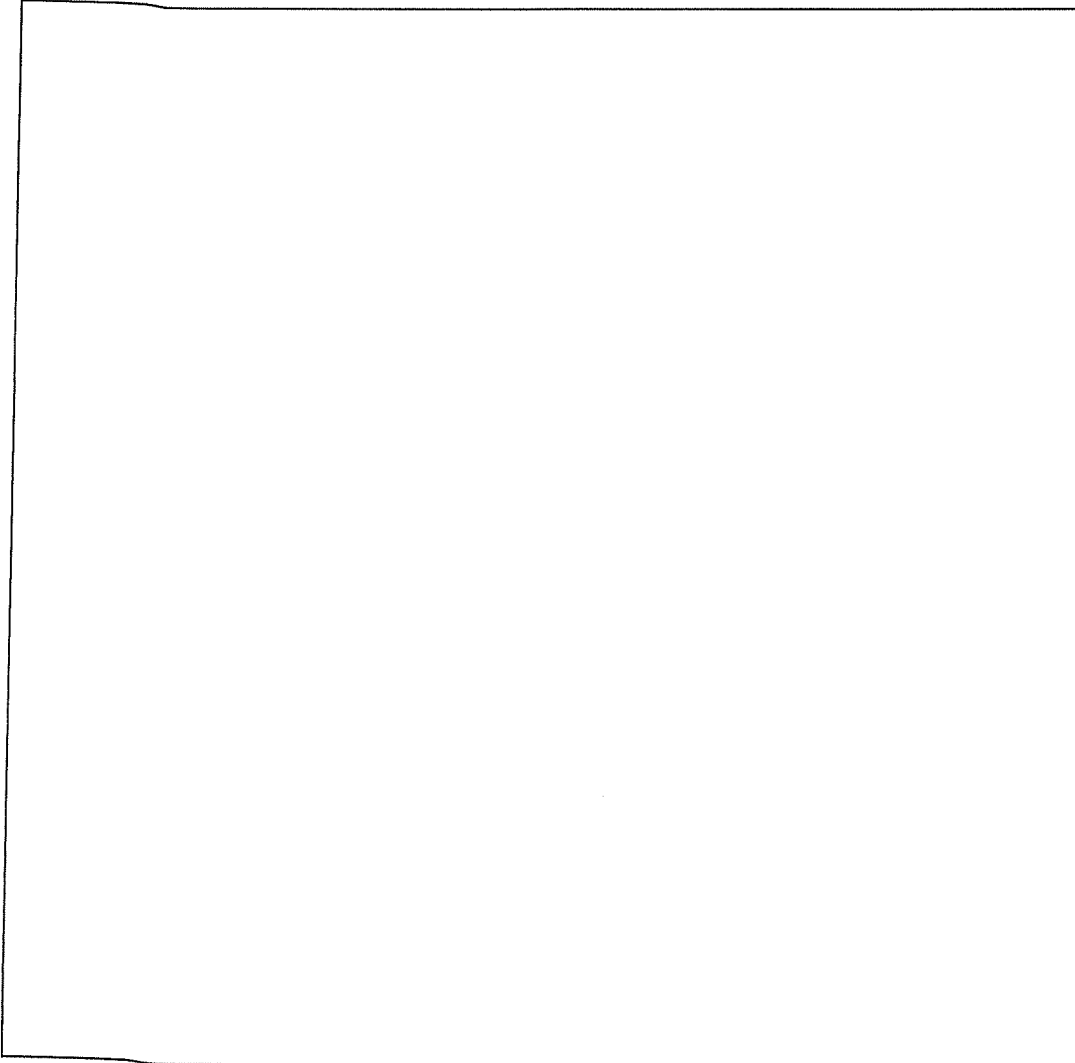
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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 6 August 2021 4:17 PM
To: 'Mitchell Alexander'
Subject: RE: OIA Newshub

Tēnā koe,

We refer to your official information request dated 2 August 2021, in which you requested the following information:

1. A copy of the New Zealand Terrorism Update from August 2020 to August 2021
2. A copy of the NZSIS's repatriation plan for Suhayra Aden and her two young children

We have transferred the second part of your request to the New Zealand Police, as the information requested is believe to be more closely connected with the functions of that agency. In these circumstances, we are required by section 14 of the Official Information Act 1982 to transfer your request. You will hear further from Police concerning this part of your request.

We will endeavour to respond to Question 1 of your request as soon as possible and, in any event, no later than 20 working days after the day that your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi,
NZSIS

From: Mitchell Alexander <mitchell_alexander@discovery.com>
Sent: Monday, 2 August 2021 9:49 PM
To: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Subject: OIA Newshub

Kiaora,

May I please make two requests under the Official Information Act 1982.

Can I please have a copy of the New Zealand Terrorism Update from August 2020 to August 2021.

And:

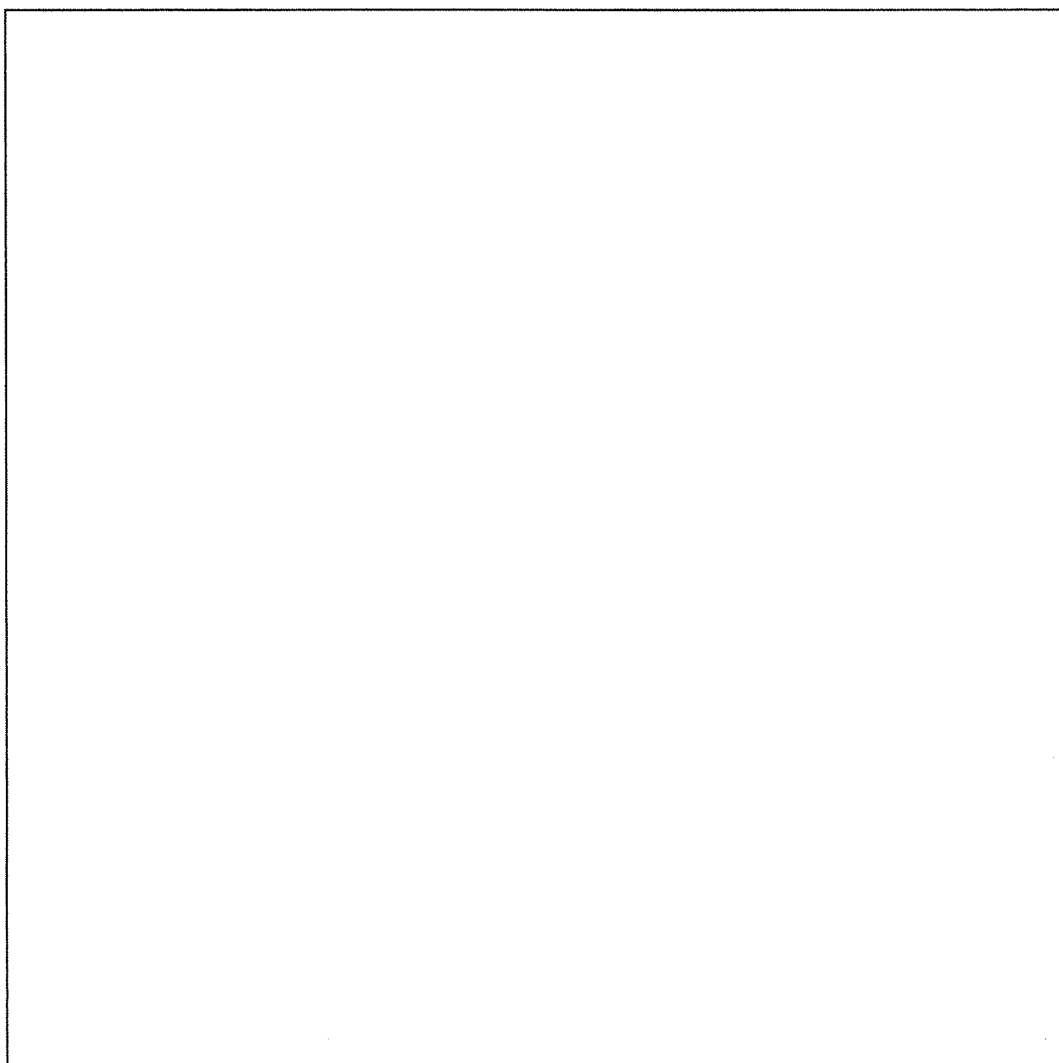
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Kind regards,
Mitchell

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MITCHELL ALEXANDER / REPORTER
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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Tuesday, 24 August 2021 2:58 PM
To: 'mitchell_alexander@discovery.com'
Subject: RE: OIA Newshub

Kia ora Mitchell,

We refer to your official information request dated 2 August for a copy of New Zealand Terrorism Updates from August 2020 – 2021.

The Official Information Act 1982 requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day that we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 28 October 2021. This extension is necessary because consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

Please note, due to the impact of Covid-19 restrictions on our ability to undertake consultations, this extension period is longer than what might otherwise have been required. We will of course endeavour to provide a response earlier than the 28 October if possible.

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.

Kind regards
NZSIS

From: Mitchell Alexander <mitchell_alexander@discovery.com>
Sent: Monday, 2 August 2021 9:49 PM
To: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzs.govt.nz>
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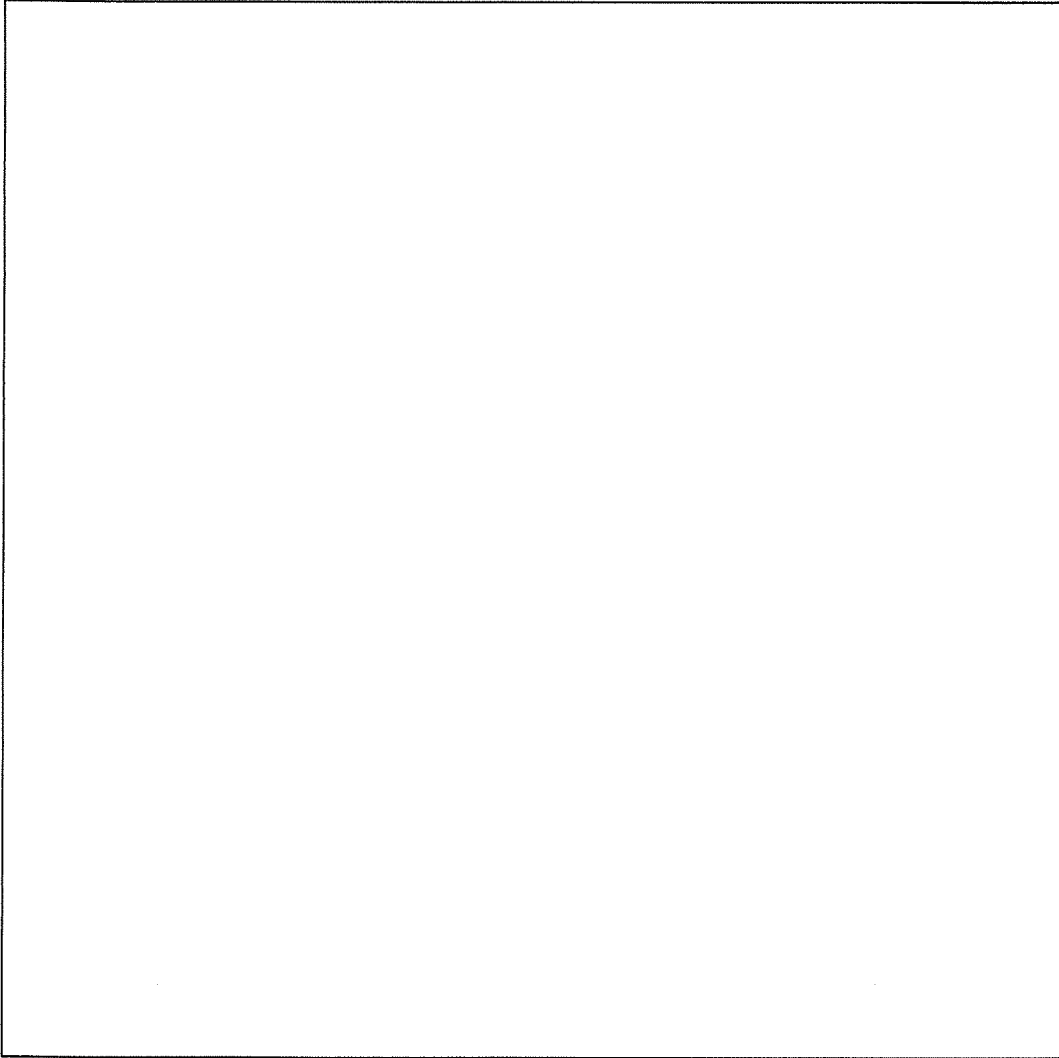
Kind regards,
Mitchell

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MITCHELL ALEXANDER / REPORTER

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 29 October 2021 6:55 PM
To: 'mitchell_alexander@discovery.com'
Subject: Response to OIA request
Attachments: Document Summary.pdf; Response.pdf; 2020-11-27 - The New Zealand Terrorism Threat Environment [20-231-TI].pdf

Kia ora Mitchell

Please find attached a response to your request from the 2 August 2021, along with the documents in scope of this request.

Warm regards
NZSIS

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Monday, 30 August 2021 10:27 AM
To: 'marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz'
Subject: FW: OIA Request
Attachments: 2021-08-30 - Daalder OIA response NZSIS.pdf

Kia ora Marc

Please find attached a response to your OIA request.

Kind regards
NZSIS

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Monday, 30 August 2021 10:21 AM
To: 'marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz'
Subject: Acknowledgement of OIA request for NZSIS briefings
Attachments: OIA request to Hon. Andrew Little, August 13, 2021.docx

Tēnā koe Marc,

This email is to advise you that the NZSIS has received a transfer of your OIA request for copies of the following papers.

- *The April 21, 2021 document "Briefing: Improving the preservation and accessibility of NZSIS historical records; deferral of transfer to Archives New Zealand"*
- *The May 20, 2021 document "Aide-Memoire: Terrorism Risk Profile OIA Request"*
- *The May 24, 2021 document "Briefing: NZSIS Monthly Highlight Report: 1-30 April 2021"*

We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as possible and, in any event, no later than 24 September 2021, being 20 working days after the day that your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

Please note, the current Covid-19 restrictions have impacted our ability to assess certain information, and may impact our ability to undertake the consultations necessary to make a decision on your request. We will let you know as soon as practicable if this likely to impact your request.

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact uia.privacy@nzs.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi,
NZSIS

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 13 August 2021 5:06 PM
To: 'marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz'
Subject: Extension of OIA Request - SIS and GCSB

Kia ora Marc,

Regarding your request below, the Official Information Act requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day that we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 29 September 2021. We will of course provide a response earlier than this date if we are able.

This extension is necessary because the consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. This extension is made under sections 15A(1)(b) of the OIA.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact uia.privacy@nzsia.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.

Kind regards
NZSIS and GCSB

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 24 September 2021 9:30 AM
To: 'marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz'
Subject: RE: Acknowledgement of OIA request for NZSIS briefings
Attachments: 2021-09-24 Daalder OIA response.pdf; 2021-04-07 - Briefing Note - NZSIS historical records.pdf; 2021-05-20 - Aide Memoire - Terrorism Risk Profile OIA.pdf; 2021-04 - Minister Monthly Highlight Report April.pdf

Kia ora Marc

Please find attached a response to your OIA request (below).

Kind regards,
NZSIS

From: Marc Daalder <marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 16 September 2021 1:08 PM
To: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzs.govt.nz>
Subject: Re: Acknowledgement of OIA request for NZSIS briefings

Thanks so much for reaching out! I'd prefer the full document with large portions redacted if possible.

Best,
Marc

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Marc Daalder
Senior Political Reporter

newsroom.

marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz

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From: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzs.govt.nz>
Date: Thursday, 16 September 2021 at 12:55 PM
To: Marc Daalder <marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz>
Subject: FW: Acknowledgement of OIA request for NZSIS briefings

Kia ora Marc

We are preparing these documents now, and would like to ask your preference in relation to receiving Monthly Highlight Reports (noting you have other requests for the same type of report).

The April report is six pages long, and around 3-4 pages will likely be withheld. Would you prefer to receive the full pdf document with large portions redacted, or a document with releasable information provided as excerpts?

We are happy to provide the information in whichever format is preferred.

Kind regards
NZSIS

From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Monday, 30 August 2021 10:21 AM
To: 'marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz' <marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz>
Subject: Acknowledgement of OIA request for NZSIS briefings

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We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as possible and, in any event, no later than 24 September 2021, being 20 working days after the day that your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

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NZSIS

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Wednesday, 29 September 2021 4:00 PM
To: 'marc.daalder@newsroom.co.nz'
Subject: NZSIS OIA Response
Attachments: 5. CTAG TA New Zealand COVID-19 vaccination programme - summary.pdf; Monthly Highlight Report December 2020 - January 2021.pdf; Monthly Highlight Report January 2021 to February 2021.pdf; NZSIS Reporting Briefing Summary - 4 March.pdf; NZSIS Reporting Briefing Summary - 17 March.pdf; Signed Response .pdf; We are one National Remembrance - Threat Assessment.pdf

Kia ora Marc,

Please find attached copies of the documents you requested in your OIA to the NZSIS.

Warm regards
NZSIS

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Wednesday, 6 October 2021 3:16 PM
To: 'David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz'
Subject: OIA Request Extension

Kia ora David

We refer to your official information request of 9 September 2021.

The Official Information Act 1982 requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day you submitted your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to Tuesday 16 November.

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Ngā mihi
NZSIS

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From: David Fisher <David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 3:11 PM
To: OIA Privacy
Subject: Re: OIA Request

Thanks very much.

From: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 3:07 PM
To: David Fisher <David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz>
Subject: RE: OIA Request

Attached are the remaining documents for release. Please let us know if you have any trouble opening them.

Ngā mihi
NZSIS

From: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 3:06 PM
To: 'David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz' <David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz>
Subject: RE: OIA Request

Kia ora David

Please find attached the Director-General's response to your information request.

We will send the remaining documents for release through in a second email .

Ngā mihi
NZSIS

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 12:44 PM
To: 'David Fisher'
Cc: Media
Subject: RE: Threat level
Attachments: 2020-04-08 - Impact of COVID-19 on the NZ Threat Environment [128-20-TA].pdf;
2020-11-27 - The New Zealand Terrorism Threat Environment [20-231-TI].pdf;
2021-02-01 - New Zealand Terrorism Threat Level remains at MEDIUM.pdf

Kia ora David

Our media team will provide a response to your initial question, but we thought you may be interested in some documents we have released recently under the OIA that relate to your query.

I have attached copies of the following:

- Threat Assessment: Impact of COVID-19 on the New Zealand Threat Environment, issued 8 April 2020
- Threat Insight: The New Zealand Terrorism Threat Environment, issued 27 November 2020 (*in particular, see paragraphs 10, 11, 14, 22, 24, 39 and 46*)
- Threat Assessment: New Zealand Terrorism Threat Level Remains at Medium, issued 1 February 2021 (this is the redacted version of the document that was summarised in the response you attached). *See paragraphs 5 and 17.*

Thanks
NZSIS OIA Team

From: David Fisher <David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 12:26 PM
To: Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>
Cc: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Subject: Re: Threat level

Not something possible to answer today then?

From: Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 12:19 PM
To: David Fisher <David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz>
Cc: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Threat level

Kia ora David,

Thank you for getting in touch. I have passed your email onto our OIA team, who will be able to assist with your query.

Ngā mihi

NZIC Communications Team

From: David Fisher <David.Fisher@nzme.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 16 November 2021 11:11 AM

To: Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>

Subject: Threat level

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Hi there,

I'm keen to know whether CTAG has provided advice beyond that described in the OIA response below in reference to our current threat level and where threats may originate.

<https://fyi.org.nz/request/15429/response/59470/attach/2/2021%2006%2022%20Harold%20OIA%20response.pdf>

I'm asking ahead of writing a piece about the intensification of protest movements that have sprung up around pandemic-related issues and how those movements are attracting some individuals who will pose an elevated risk amid the current rhetoric.

The advice above refers to March 15 and related matters. I wanted to know if CTAG had expanded its advice in line with what's outlined in the sentencesw above.

David Fisher
NZ Herald
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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 8 October 2021 4:18 PM
To: 'Charlotte.Cook@rnz.co.nz'
Subject: RE: RNZ REQUEST

Kia ora Charlotte,

This email is to advise that the GCSB and NZSIS have made a decision on your request, however we are still preparing the information for release. We will be releasing the information requested with some information withheld under the following sections of the OIA:

6(a) in order to protect the national security of New Zealand;
9(2)(a) in order to protect the privacy of natural persons; and
9(2)(ba)(i) in order to protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence where the making available of the information would be likely to prejudice the supply of similar information, or information from the same source, and it is in the public interest that such information should continue to be supplied.

We will provide you with the requested information as soon as we can.

Ngā mihi

GCSB/NZSIS

From: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, 13 August 2021 2:11 PM
To: 'Charlotte Cook' <Charlotte.Cook@rnz.co.nz>
Cc: Information (GCSB) <information@gcsb.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: RNZ REQUEST

Kia ora Charlotte,

Regarding your OIA request below to the NZSIS and GCSB, the OIA requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day that we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 8 October 2021. We will of course provide a response earlier than this date if we are able.

This extension is necessary because your request necessitates a search through a large quantity of information and meeting the original time limit would unreasonably interfere with our operations and consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. This extension is made under sections 15A(1)(a) and (b) of the OIA.

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Kind regards

NZSIS and GCSB

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 12 November 2021 8:22 AM
To: 'Gill Bonnett'
Subject: RE: Samsudeen OIA

Tēnā koe Gill

We refer to your official information request of 19 October 2021.

The Official Information Act 1982 requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day you submitted your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 15 December 2021. We will of course provide you with a response earlier if practicable.

This extension is necessary because the consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

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From: OIA Privacy <ويا.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 19 October 2021 12:34 PM
To: 'Gill Bonnett' <Gillian.Bonnett@rnz.co.nz>
Subject: RE: Samsudeen OIA

Tēnā koe Gill

Thank you for your Official Information Act request.

We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as possible and, in any event, no later than 20 working days after the day that your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

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From: Gill Bonnett <Gillian.Bonnett@rnz.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 19 October 2021 11:17 AM
To: OIA Privacy <ويا.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz>
Subject: Samsudeen OIA

Hello,

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I request information in a fully searchable format about the security services' work involving Ahamed Samsudeen:

- a) The number of staff involved in the investigation and monitoring of Samsudeen and when the operation started
- b) An estimated cost of the operation
- c) The number of officers on duty in that operation on September 3.
- d) Documents outlining the reason(s) why Samsudeen was prevented from boarding a plane as a NZ resident in 2017 and what is known of his plans once overseas
- e) Correspondence/feedback that NZSIS and/or Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security gave/received from other Government officials/politicians/agencies before the scope of the review was decided.

Kind regards,

Gill Bonnett | Journalist

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Wednesday, 22 September 2021 9:02 AM
To: 'kirsty.johnston@stuff.co.nz'
Subject: hate crimes OIA
Attachments: 2021-09-22 - Kirsty Johnston OIA.pdf

Kia ora Kirsty

Please find attached a response to your OIA request.

Kind regards
NZSIS

From: Kirsty Johnston <kirsty.johnston@stuff.co.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, 25 August 2021 11:46 AM
To: Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>
Subject: hate crimes OIA

Hello

can I please request, under the OIA

- any communication between SIS and Netsafe; and the DIA; and police on the attacks on wahine maori and other women as described in this story <https://www.stuff.co.nz/national/crime/300379571/we-cant-rely-on-the-police-mori-women-on-edge-after-escalating-threats>

-any communications or briefings or memos or reports to NZIC management/executive on such attacks; and/or the need for further cross-agency co-ordination regarding such attacks

-any briefings or communication to the minister for NZIC on such attacks,;and/or the need for further cross-agency co-ordination regarding such attacks

Thank you

Kirsty

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Thursday, 14 October 2021 3:54 PM
To: 'laura.walters@stuff.co.nz'
Cc: Media
Subject: FW: NZ cricket OIA
Attachments: NZ Cricket OIA (1).pdf

Kia ora Laura,

We refer to your official information request dated 21 September 2021 regarding New Zealand Cricket (attached).

The Official Information Act 1982 requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day that we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to Thursday 4 November. We will of course provide a response earlier than this date if we are able.

This extension is necessary because the consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. This extension is made under s15A(1)(b) of the OIA.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact OIA.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz.

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NZSIS

From: Laura Walters <laura.walters@stuff.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 21 September 2021 8:44 AM
To: MEDIA <media@mfat.govt.nz>; PMOmedia <pmomedia@parliament.govt.nz>; DPMC Media [DPMC] <media@dPMC.govt.nz>; Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>
Subject: NZ cricket OIA

Kia ora koutou,

Please find attached an OIA request relating to advice and communications regarding the safety/security of the NZ cricket team, and their travel to Pakistan.

If there are any issues, please feel free to contact me.

Ngā mihi nui,
Laura.

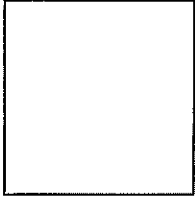
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From: Laura Walters <laura.walters@stuff.co.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, 3 November 2021 1:38 PM
To: OIA Privacy
Cc: Media
Subject: Re: FW: NZ cricket OIA

Kia ora,

Thank you for coming back to me with this response.

Kind regards,
Laura.

On Wed, Nov 3, 2021 at 1:26 PM OIA Privacy <uia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz> wrote:

Kia ora Laura

Please find attached a response to your OIA request regarding the New Zealand Cricket team's travel to Pakistan.

Kind regards

NZSIS

From: Laura Walters <laura.walters@stuff.co.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 21 September 2021 8:44 AM
To: MEDIA <media@mfat.govt.nz>; PMOMedia <pmomedia@parliament.govt.nz>; DPMC Media [DPMC] <media@dPMC.govt.nz>; Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>
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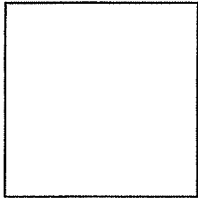
Laura.

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Wednesday, 15 September 2021 2:18 PM
To: 'maxine.jacobs@stuff.co.nz'
Subject: RE: Pou Tiaki, Stuff: Māori Language Plans

Tēnā koe Maxine,

Thank you for your Official Information Act request to the NZSIS and GCSB asking for information about Māori Language Plans.

We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as possible and, in any event, no later than 20 working days after the day that your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz or information@gcsb.govt.nz

Ngā mihi,

NZSIS and GCSB

From: Maxine Jacobs <maxine.jacobs@stuff.co.nz>
Sent: Monday, 13 September 2021 11:24 AM
To: Media <media@nzic.govt.nz>
Subject: Pou Tiaki, Stuff: Māori Language Plans

Tēnā koe e hoa mā,

Ko Māxone tōku ingoa, I'm a reporter for Stuff's Pou Tiaki department.

Kia pai te wiki o te reo Māori :)

I'm emailing because I'm looking for information in regards to the Māori Language Plans that were to be developed by every public service by June 2021.

Is the Government Communications Security Bureau and New Zealand Security Intelligence Service subject to the language plans.

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If so, what date did each register its language plan, and what commitment has each made to help normalise te reo Māori in the plans?

It would also be great to receive a copy of each service's language plans.

Feel free to call me if you need further details.

Ngā mihi,

Maxine Jacobs

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 10 September 2021 2:11 PM
To: 'Nikki Macdonald'
Cc: Information (GCSB)
Subject: RE: OIA response times

Kia ora Nikki,

We are writing to acknowledge receipt of your official information request dated 10 September as outlined below to both the GCSB and NZSIS.

We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as practicable and, in any event, no later than 8 October 2021, being 20 working days after the day that your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact ويا.privacy@nzs.govt.nz or information@gcsb.govt.nz. If any additional factors come to light which are relevant to your request, please do not hesitate to contact us so that these can be taken into account.

Kind regards

NZSIS and GCSB

From: Nikki Macdonald <nikki.macdonald@stuff.co.nz>
Sent: Friday, 10 September 2021 1:13 PM
To: Nikki Macdonald <nikki.macdonald@stuff.co.nz>
Cc: Accident Compensation Corporation <media@acc.co.nz>; Antarctica New Zealand <info@antarcticanz.govt.nz>; Charities Commission <info@charities.govt.nz>; Civil Aviation Authority <ويا@caa.govt.nz>; Crown Law <ويا@crownlaw.govt.nz>; Department of Conservation <OIA@doc.govt.nz>; Department of Corrections <info@corrections.govt.nz>; Department of Internal Affairs <OIA@dia.govt.nz>; Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet <information@dpmc.govt.nz>; Earthquake Commission <oiarequests@eqc.govt.nz>; Education Review Office <info@ero.govt.nz>; Electricity Authority <info@ea.govt.nz>; Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority <info@eeca.govt.nz>; Environmental Protection Authority <ministerials@epa.govt.nz>; Fire and Emergency New Zealand <OIA.Support@fireandemergency.nz>; Information (GCSB) <information@gcsb.govt.nz>; Health Research Council of New Zealand <info@hrc.govt.nz>; Housing New Zealand Corporation <inforequests@hnzc.co.nz>; Inland Revenue <ويا@ird.govt.nz>; Land Information NZ <customersupport@linz.govt.nz>; Maritime New Zealand <enquiries@maritimenz.govt.nz>; Ministry for Māori Development <ويا@tpk.govt.nz>; Ministry for Pacific Peoples <ministerialservices@mpp.govt.nz>; Ministry for Primary Industries <info@mpi.govt.nz>; Ministry for the Environment <ministerials@mfe.govt.nz>; Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment <ويا@mbie.govt.nz>; Ministry of Culture and Heritage <ويا@mch.govt.nz>; Ministry of Defence <info@defence.govt.nz>; Ministry of Education <info@education.govt.nz>; Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade <enquiries@mfat.govt.nz>; Ministry of Health <ويا@health.govt.nz>; Ministry of Housing and Development <ويا@hud.govt.nz>; Ministry of Justice <official.correspondence@justice.govt.nz>; Ministry of Social Development <ويا_requests@msd.govt.nz>; Ministry of Transport <ocu@transport.govt.nz>; Ministry of Women's Affairs <infoservices@mwa.govt.nz>; New Zealand Blood Service <info@nzblood.co.nz>; New Zealand Customs Service <ويا@customs.govt.nz>; New Zealand Defence Force <ministerialservices@nzdf.mil.nz>; New Zealand Police <info@police.govt.nz>; New Zealand Qualifications Authority <ministerials@nzqa.govt.nz>; OIA Privacy <ويا.privacy@nzs.govt.nz>; New Zealand Tourism Board <candice.johanson@tnz.govt.nz>; New Zealand Trade and Enterprise <info@nzte.govt.nz>; New Zealand Walking Access Commission <contact@walkingaccess.govt.nz>; NZ Transport Agency <official.correspondence@nzta.govt.nz>; Oranga Tamariki <OIA_Requests@mvcot.govt.nz>; Serious Fraud Office <enquiries@sfo.govt.nz>; Sport New Zealand <info@sportnz.org.nz>; State Services Commission

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<ministerial.services@treasury.govt.nz>; WorkSafe New Zealand <oia@worksafe.govt.nz>

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Subject: OIA response times

Hi there

Can you please answer the following questions:

- 1) From 1 January to 30 June 2021, how many OIA requests did your agency receive?
- 2) From 1 January to 30 June 2021, what was the average OIA response time (including any extension time)?
- 3) From 1 January to 30 June 2021, what was the longest OIA response time (including any extension time)?
- 4) From 1 January to 30 June 2021, what percentage of OIAs required a time extension?
- 5) From 1 January to 30 June 2021, what percentage of OIAs were refused?
- 6) From 1 January to 30 June 2021, what percentage of OIAs were partially refused or redacted?

Thanks very much

Nikki

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Nikki Macdonald

Senior writer

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From: OIA Privacy
Sent: Friday, 15 October 2021 9:24 AM
To: 'Ashleigh.Yates@tvnz.co.nz'
Subject: RE: OIA Request Extension
Attachments: 20211015 - Ashleigh Yates OIA - Signed NZSIS Response.pdf

Mōrena Ashleigh

Please find attached the NZSIS's response to your OIA request.

Ngā mihi
NZSIS

From: OIA Privacy <oia.privacy@nzs.govt.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 30 September 2021 9:06 AM
To: 'Ashleigh.Yates@tvnz.co.nz' <Ashleigh.Yates@tvnz.co.nz>
Subject: OIA Request Extension

Kia ora Ashleigh

We refer to your official information request of 5 September 2021, which was partially transferred to the NZSIS on 29 September 2021.

The Official Information Act 1982 requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day you submitted your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are, therefore, writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to Tuesday 19 October.

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