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Dear Chris

I refer to your email of 6 August 2022 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), the following:

Can you tell me why New Zealand Air Force are in USA. Dated 6/08/22 Flying from Los Angeles to New York? Registration NZ7572.

The Royal New Zealand Air Force (RNZAF) Boeing B757 tail number NZ7572 was not in the United States on 6 August 2022. However, the RNZAF Boeing B757 tail number NZ7571 has been in the United States, and conducted a flight from Los Angeles to New York on 23 May 2022. This flight was in support of the Prime Minister's recent trip to the United States.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA, to ask an Ombudsman to review this response to your request.

Yours sincerely

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Air Commodore

Chief of Staff HQNZDF