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Joshua Grainger
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Dear Mr Grainger

I refer to your request, dated 15 September 2014, for a copy of the Privacy Impact Assessment for Project CORTEX and our letter dated 13 October 2014 requesting an extension.

In response to your request, I decline to provide the Privacy Impact Assessment for Project CORTEX under section 18(d) of the Official Information Act 1982, on the ground that it will soon be publically available on the GCSB website (www.gcsb.govt.nz).

With regard to your request for any drafts of the Privacy Impact Assessment for Project CORTEX, I also decline to provide them under section 18(d) as a summary of the draft will be publically available on the website.

In accordance with section 19 of the Act, you have the right to seek an investigation and review of the refusal by way of complaint to an Ombudsman under section 28(3).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "I. Fletcher".

Ian Fletcher
Director