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Tēnā koe P Taylor

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to Manatū Hauora on 16 February 2023 for information regarding the Disinformation Assessment and Response Team (DART). You requested:

"There is evidence of communication by Microsoft Teams in the material you have previously provided, however you have not provided any material on the content of those communications on Microsoft Teams in the response to the request. Can you please send any information, transcripts, or notes of those communications that occurred via Microsoft Teams."

Your request is refused under section 18(e) of the Act, as the information requested does not exist.

Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Manatū Hauora website at: www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases/responses-official-information-act-requests.

Nāku noa, nā

Sarah Turner

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