

From: s. 6(a)
To: s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: Note to Minister DRAFT text [SEEMAIL]

Sent: Thu, 10 Feb 2022 00:40:55 GMT

Hi s. 9(2)(a)

Further to my previous, below is the current draft of the text for our note to MinDef. Is there anything that would cause an allergic reaction from Police?

1. The purpose of this note is advise of a NZ Police request for NZDF support to assist in the removal of protest vehicles in the vicinity of the Parliament buildings, and to seek Ministerial direction for this support. This request follows Police not being able to secure commercial operators to move the vehicles.
2. Police have requested NZDF support to remove vehicles from the vicinity of Parliament; including from Lambton Quay, Molesworth Street, and Aitken Street. There are approximately 180 vehicles and trailers of different types. Police will be responsible for cordon and security of both sites; i.e. in the vicinity of Parliament and where the vehicles are taken to. Current planning has a holding area for vehicles in the vicinity of Sky Stadium. Police have advised that the NZDF task will be limited to the conduct of vehicle removal by towing vehicles from their current location to the holding area. Police will remain the lead agency throughout the operation, with limited to providing logistic support in the form of towing/recovery resources. It is planned that NZDF will work in a secure environment, provided by Police, and there is no planned engagement by NZDF with the public or protestors.
3. NZDF is scoping the feasibility of supporting this request. Presently the use of specific NZDF recovery vehicles and crews is being considered; as opposed to use of non-recovery vehicles or expedient towing methods. This will limit the number of assets able to be provided. However noting that NZDF vehicles are not designed to recover/tow civilian vehicles, the use of recovery vehicles and trained crews may reduce damage to private property. Presently NZDF will be able to provide XX recovery vehicles and YY recovery crews; the additional crews able to extend vehicle operating hours.
4. Depending on the number of recovery crews and the final number of vehicles on the site—as it is anticipated some may leave of their own volition—the removal of vehicles from the Parliament site could take 24-72 hours. At present a large number of the trained NZDF-crews are on duty in MIQ in Auckland. If these personnel are released from that duty, and the NZDF infection-mitigation period (7 days) is waived, the personnel may be able to commence this task late Friday (11 Feb) or more likely Saturday (12 Feb).
5. NZDF would legally be able to conduct this task under Section 9(1)(a) of the Defence Act 1990 and, as we would be working under the direction of the Police, under Section 113(1) and 113(2)(c) of the Land Transport Act 1998. There is a risk that the NZDF, or its personnel, would be subject to legal claims for any damage that occurs to vehicles in the towing process.

I am still trying to confirm how many vehicles/crews we can provide, and when they would be available.

Regards

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s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a)
Sent: Thursday, 10 February 2022 11:53 a.m.
To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Vehicle count [SEEMAIL]

Thanks for that.

Is there a point of contact that you would want me to work directly to?

I just have a few queries/points:

- Is there a time that we are working to at this point? For example support is needed not before X, but no later than Y.
- We are currently working on the assumption that NZDF will be working in an environment that has been "cleared" by the Police; i.e. any doing recovery operations is not going to be having to deal with protestors, vehicle occupants, etc. This is important to clarify as it gets into matters around the likelihood of NZDF personnel having to interact with the protestors, potentially defend themselves, etc.
- At present we are only looking to deploy recovery-specific vehicles, with trained crews; i.e. our own "towing" vehicles. This will limit the capacity that we are able to provide. At this point we have not looked at ad hoc / expedient towing options; i.e. other military vehicles using towing bars and such. This will mean a fairly limited capacity in what we can provide, as we only have a few towing vehicles (i.e. 2 – 5 recovery vehicles). Please let us know if you need us to explore other options.
- Our recovery vehicles are designed to tow military vehicles, so it is likely that damage will occur to non-military vehicles when they are being towed.
- Unfortunately, as it happens, most of our trained crews are currently in Auckland working in MIQ, so there is likely to be a time delay in us deploying them.

Regards

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From: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz]
Sent: Thursday, 10 February 2022 11:17 a.m.
To: s. 6(a) [redacted]@NZDF.mil.nz>
Subject: FW: Vehicle count {seemail}

Apologies... a miss spell.

Regards

9(2)(a)

From: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]
Sent: Thursday, 10 February 2022 9:59 AM
To: s. 6(a) [redacted]@nzdf.mil.nz
Subject: FW: Vehicle count {seemail}

No's as discussed.

From: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 10 February 2022 9:28 AM
To: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>
Subject: FW: Vehicle count

As discussed

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From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>

Sent: Thursday, 10 February 2022 08:33

To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)

@police.govt.nz>

Subject: Fwd: Vehicle count

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>

Date: 10 February 2022 at 8:03:20 AM NZDT

To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>, s. 9(2)(a)

@police.govt.nz>

Subject: Vehicle count

Approximate:

Vehicle	4x4/Hiace	Campervan	Campervan towed	Bus/Large camper	Truck/HMV	Trailer
63	43	32	4	10	18	6

From: s. 6(a) Sent: Thu, 10 Feb 2022 02:24:46 GMT
To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz, s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz
CC: s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: Request for NZDF Support - Removal of Protest Vehicles [SEEMAIL]

Hi s. 9(2)(a) ;

I'm just trying to confirm the details of the possible use of NZDF resources to assist in the removal of protest vehicles.

Below is the current draft of the text for our note to MinDef. Is there anything that would cause an allergic reaction from Police? (I just want to check that I am not misrepresenting the current Police plan)

1. The purpose of this note is to advise of a NZ Police request for NZDF support to assist in the removal of protest vehicles in the vicinity of the Parliament buildings, and to seek Ministerial direction for this support.

Task Request

2. Police have requested NZDF support to remove vehicles from the vicinity of Parliament; including from Lambton Quay, Molesworth Street, and Aitken Street. There are approximately 180 vehicles and trailers of different types. The request follows Police not being able to secure commercial operators to move the vehicles. Police would remain the lead agency throughout the operation, with NZDF limited to providing logistic support in the form of towing/recovery resources.

Legal Basis

3. NZDF would legally be able to conduct this task under Section 9(1)(a) of the Defence Act 1990 and, as we would be working under the direction of the Police, under Section 113(1) and 113(2)(c) of the Land Transport Act 1998.

Proposed Plan

4. The Police intention is to secure the site around Parliament and the establish a secure holding area in the vicinity of Sky Stadium. Police will be responsible for cordon and security of both sites. Police advise that the NZDF task will be limited to the conduct of vehicle removal by towing vehicles from their current location to the holding area. It is planned that NZDF will work in a secure environment, provided by Police, and there is no planned engagement by NZDF with the public or protestors.
5. NZDF is scoping the feasibility of supporting this request. Presently the use of an NZDF recovery vehicle and crew is being considered; as opposed to use of non-recovery vehicles or expedient towing methods. This limits the resources able to be provided. However noting that NZDF vehicles are not designed to recover/tow civilian vehicles, the use of a recovery vehicle and trained crew may reduce damage to private property.
6. Depending on the final number of vehicles on the site—as it is anticipated some may leave of their own volition—the removal of vehicles from the Parliament site could take a number of days. At present the trained NZDF-crew are on duty in MIQ in Auckland. If these personnel are released from that duty, and the NZDF infection-mitigation period (seven days) is waived, the personnel should be able to commence this on Saturday (12 Feb).

Risks

7. Damage to Private Property. There is a risk that the NZDF, or its personnel, would be subject to legal claims for any damage that occurs to vehicles in the towing process; particularly as NZDF does not have immunity under the Public Service Act for immunity from civil liability for good faith actions or omission in the performance or exercise of duties or powers, as is held by many agencies. Additionally NZDF cannot rely upon the immunities conferred upon the NZ Police.
8. Reputational Risk. It is probable that the employment of the NZDF a response to civil protest action will negatively impact the reputation of the organisation and government. Therefore, while not legally required, ministerial approval to undertake this task.
9. Waiving post-MIQ stand-down. Currently NZDF imposes a seven day stand-down period on all staff completing duty at MIQ. The recovery crew would have this requirement waived in order to be able to commence work from Saturday (12 Feb). Without a waiver the crew would not be available until Friday next week (18 Feb). While infection prevention protocols have been followed while working at MIQ, this does increase the risk of these individuals being a vector for Covid to be transmitted.

Although some are mentioned in the text above, we are wanting to confirm some queries/points:

- Is there a time that we are working to at this point? For example support is needed not before X, but no later than Y.
- We are currently working on the assumption that NZDF will be working in an environment that has been "cleared" by the Police; i.e. any doing recovery operations is not going to be having to deal with protestors, vehicle occupants, etc. This is important to clarify as it gets into matters around the likelihood of NZDF personnel having to interact with the protestors, potentially defend themselves, etc.
- At present we are only looking to deploy a recovery-specific vehicle, with trained crew; i.e. our own "towing" vehicle. This will limit the capacity that we are able to provide. At this point we have not looked at ad hoc / expedient towing options; i.e. other military vehicles using towing bars and such. This means a limited capacity in what we can provide. Please let us know if you need us to explore other options.
- Our recovery vehicles are designed to tow military vehicles, so it is likely that damage will occur to non-military vehicles when they are being towed.
- Unfortunately, as it happens, our available trained crew is currently in Auckland working in MIQ, so there is likely to be a time delay in us deploying them.

If it is easier to discuss on the phone, please feel free to give me a call.

Regards

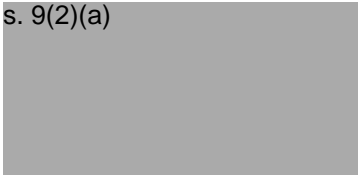
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From: s. 9(2)(a)
To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz
CC: s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: SEEMAIL: Offer of support

Sent: Sun, 13 Feb 2022 23:07:05 GMT

Hi s. 9(2)(a)

s. 6(a) (Acting Director GNZ) has forwarded me an email from s. 9(2)(a) regarding the NZ Police support to the Convoy Protest at Parliament. I'm aware that at present GNZ has only been asked for imagery to support activities.

One of our Team Leaders, s. 9(2)(a) (who I've cc'ed here), has a wealth of experience in operational support to NZDF and other government agencies. We wanted to take this opportunity to offer additional support and link you up with s. 9(2)(a) he may be able to provide some useful tradecraft advice/suggestions to you and your team.

Due to our current Traffic Red Level shift system s. 9(2)(a) is working remotely today but will be working from Defence House tomorrow if you wanted to meet in person. Alternatively I'm sure s. 9(2)(a) would be happy to meet virtually if that is preferable.

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

Acting/ Assistant Director Analytic Production - GNZ, GEOINT New Zealand
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From: media@police.govt.nz
To: s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] NZDF protest responses unclassified

Sent: Mon, 14 Feb 2022 08:42:15 GMT

Kia ora s. 9(2)(a)

Sorry for the slow response on this - the statement below is fine by us.

nga mihi s. 9(2)(a)

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----- s. 9(2)(a) @nzdf.mil.nz > wrote: -----

To: "media@police.govt.nz" <media@police.govt.nz>

From: s. 9(2)(a) @nzdf.mil.nz >

Date: 14/02/2022 04:19PM

Subject: [EXTERNAL] NZDF protest responses unclassified

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Afternoon ☺

We have been getting a few queries from media around if NZDF have been asked to assist police with the protests at Parliament.

Our SCE went to your SCE with the below statement and they said they wanted it to be a bit more diluted. It looks like our team was speaking with s. 9(2)(a) from Police ☺

"The NZDF was approached last week by the New Zealand Police to determine what assistance could be provided to help tow away illegally parked vehicles from around Parliament. As of today no decisions have been made about NZDF involvement"

Looping you guys in as I am sure you have also had many of the same requests and am happy to discuss what you think we could do with this.

Kind regards

s. 9(2)(a)

Media Advisor -DPA, Defence Public Affairs

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From: s. 9(2)(a) Sent: Mon, 14 Feb 2022 04:07:56 GMT
To: s. 6(a)
Subject: FW: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

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s. 6(a)

As per s. 9(2)(a) reply below

Please let me know if you require any further details

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>

Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 15:21

To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)

@police.govt.nz>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

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*** [SEEMAIL] This message may contain classified information ***

Good afternoon gents,

[HQNZDF has been forwarded this request for support from CDHQ. Is this aligned with the PNHQ strategy in response to the protest action?](#)

The plan around protest action involving the towing of vehicles has been approved by PNHQ

On face value, it looks like its something we can support; however, we'd need a formal request (email from PNHQ to HQNZDF, attention myself) outlining the following:

- Activity type (staging area - overnight parking of tow-trucks, broad description of drills and therefore how big and what is the level of risk for damage to the training area etc)
- Staging Area , as the trucks will be leaving and returning to this area.
- Overnight parking from Tuesday the 15th February until Sunday the 21st February 2022

- Training and drills will be around personal security of the Tow truck drivers should the protestors break through the outer cordon and their personal safety is threatened.
- There will no damage to the training area as this revolves around staff being on foot and getting Driver back to their truck and drive away.
- In addition to the estimated number of two-trucks, what is the size of the contingent during training (civilian vehicles, police vehicles, & personnel etc.)
- Up to six(6) tow trucks are expected to be involved.
- Duration of access to NZDF site (include specific access times, or do you need the freedom to arrive/exit ?)
- At this stage timings are as per point 1 above.
- As Trentham Military Camp have identified a possible location (secure, but without 24/7 security) that is outside the main wire what are your security requirements (ie will NZ POL or a Security contractor, for example, provide overnight watch on the location?)
- Police and or security will be provided for the Tow trucks in the enclosure.
- Does the contingent require access to Trentham Military Camp inside the main wire? (current Covid settings makes this a little more tricky to arrange, however, it's good to know what your intent is for accommodation etc of the tow-truck drivers are).
- Accommodation and messing will be off site
- An indication of what you sense the level of risk to be, in terms of attracting unwanted attention, would be useful.
- Low to medium given the distance from Parliament.

Thanks and looking forward to hearing from you soon. Happy to chat if you require any clarification points. Office landline is best within normal working hours.

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>

Date: Monday, 14 Feb 2022, 12:22 PM

To: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>

Subject: FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities

Good morning s. 6(a)

Thank you for your time on the phone just now and to confirm our conversation:

I am currently working on planning for the protests underway at parliament. Obviously our key objective remains a negotiated resolution but we have also started some contingency planning regarding actions we may need to taken, one being the removal of vehicles from the roadway.

You may have seen in the media there have been some issues sourcing local tow firms however have a number of tow operators from across the North island who are prepared to travel to Wellington to support the operation. We have actions underway regarding protection for the tow trucks and operators, certainly during their actions to remove vehicles but also need to securely store them on their arrival and through until the conclusion of this stage of the operation. Note storage is for the tow trucks only – not the vehicles removed from the roadway. We anticipate up to 12 tow vehicles / trcuks.

As discussed, the request is for us to securely store the tow trucks at Trentham Camp – commencing tomorrow through until Sunday 20th February 2022.

We would also appreciate the use of an area for us to do some training with police staff and the tow operators to exercise and test our actions when deployed.

Thanks for considering this request.

Regards

s. 9(2)(a)

Inspector
Central District
s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a)
To: s. 6(a); s. 9(2)(a)
CC: s. 6(a); s. 6(a); s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: [SEEMAIL] FW: Request for GNZ support to NZ Police

Sent: Tue, 15 Feb 2022 00:27:57 GMT

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Good afternoon s. 6(a) and 9(2)(a),

This email highlights a request (for current satellite imagery) that was forwarded over the weekend from the NZ Police National Intelligence Centre (NIC) to NZDF's Geospatial-intelligence New Zealand (GNZ), as national authority for geo-spatial intelligence. This email is sent for your situational awareness so you know that this request submitted and is under action.

For your noting.

Rgds

s. 9(2)(a)

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National Manager: Intelligence Analytics Group
National Intelligence Centre

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a)@NZDF.mil.nz>
Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 9:07 AM
To: s. 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz>
Cc: s. 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz>; s. 6(a)
@nzdf.mil.nz>; s. 6(a)@NZDF.mil.nz>;
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Subject: [EXTERNAL] [SEEMAIL] FW: Request for GNZ support to NZ Police

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*** [SEEMAIL] This message may contain classified information *** s. 9(2)(a)
Following up on your phone call on Saturday. We submitted yesterday a request to s. 9(2)(ba)(i) starting today. This will run for three days s. 9(2)(ba)(i) We can extend if necessary). This had to be adjudicated s. 9(2)(ba)(i) and we haven't had any indication so far that this wasn't approved, so assume it is approved and tasked.

So to confirm, you do not need GNZ analytical support around this police request. All you require is the imagery provided to s. 9(2)(a) (cc'd) which we will need to talk to our data team in how to provide it and what format (I've cc'd s. 6(a) for this). Once collected, the imagery should

be available via s. 9(2)(ba)(i) which the data team will download and provide.

Cheers

s. 6(a)

Assistant Director GEOINT Operations, GEOINT New Zealand NEW ZEALAND
DEFENCE FORCE s. 9(2)(a)
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-----Original Message-----

From: s. 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz]
Sent: Saturday, 12 February 2022 9:19 p.m.
To: s. 6(a)@nzdf.mil.nz>
Cc: s. 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)
@police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)
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@police.govt.nz>
Subject: Request for GNZ support to NZ Police

Good evening GNZ Operations,

Earlier this evening I spoke with s. 6(a) (acting Director GNZ) about an imagery collection requirement in support of the NZ Police response to the Convoy Protest at Parliament in central Wellington. DDI approved for the request to be scoped and actioned.

I will follow this email up tomorrow with one from NZ Police operations to NZDF SCE branch.

The request is as follows:

s. 9(2)(ba)(i)

This imagery will be used to individually identify all protest vehicles and obstacles located around Parliament in order to inform operational planning for the removal of these vehicles and obstacles should this be required. This may occur over a number of days.

The traffic congestion associated with illegally parked protest vehicles has increased over the past 24 hours.

NZ Police will concurrently collect handheld imagery. Adverse weather is expected to continue until midday Monday. There are constraints with regard the use of drones over Parliament.

The NZ Police geospatial representative for sending collected data to is s. 9(2)(a) (cc above) .

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Rgds

s. 9(2)(a)

National Manager Analytics & Intelligence Operations Police National Headquarters

Ph: s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a) Sent: Tue, 15 Feb 2022 03:45:28 GMT
To: s. 6(a)
CC: s. 6(a); s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz
Subject: [SEEMAIL] FW: Police declare a National Operation (Op name yet to be confirmed) which aims to support Wellington District with Operation CONVOY (Parliament Grounds and environs) and any other District should other protests occur.

Hi s. 6(a)

As discussed, thanks for stepping into the NZDF LO role at PNHQ tomorrow. See below for NZ POL POC s. 9(2)(a) contact details to coordinate your support for tomorrow.

Keep in touch tomorrow, thanks mate.

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz]

Sent: Tuesday, 15 February 2022 2:30 p.m.

To: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>

Subject: Police declare a National Operation (Op name yet to be confirmed) which aims to support Wellington District with Operation CONVOY (Parliament Grounds and environs) and any other District should other protests occur.

Kia ora s. 6(a)

As per our brief and introductory telephone conversation, Police request a Defence Liaison officer to attend the Major Operations Centre (Level 3 180 Molesworth street) tomorrow at 0830hrs. The purpose of the LO's role is to work with police to develop appropriate effect based requests relating to Transport, Catering and Planning. Once confirmed the LO can use my details to contact me before their arrival to confirm details regarding dress, other timings, messing, comms etc. Please excuse the brevity of this request.

Happy to take questions

Regards

s. 9(2)(a)

Senior Manager : Command + Emergency Management : Capability
Police National Headquarters
Wellington

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From: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz]
Sent: Tuesday, 15 February 2022 11:18 a.m.
To: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>; s. 6(a) [redacted]
[redacted]@NZDF.mil.nz>; s. 6(a) [redacted]@NZDF.mil.nz>; s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]
[redacted]@nzdf.mil.nz>
Cc: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]
[redacted]@police.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] RE: Newshub - protest unclassified [SEEMAIL]
Good Morning

Thank you for your emails.

I confirm Superintendent s. 9(2)(a) [redacted] has approved the wording suggested below.

Any further OIA request for information relating to Op Convoy can in the first instance be directed to s. 6(a) [redacted]. Requests are being assessed by our initial assessment team, and are currently being assigned to a single practitioner for response, and any deemed HOI (High Organisational Impact) will be sent to Ministerial Services for review.

Ngā mihi

s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]
**Advisor – Central Region
(Bay of Plenty District Headquarters)
Information Request Team**
s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@Police.govt.nz
s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]

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From: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>
Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 5:08 PM
To: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>
Cc: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]@police.govt.nz>
Subject: FW: [EXTERNAL] RE: Newshub - protest unclassified [SEEMAIL]

Good afternoon s. 9(2)(a) [redacted]

I have been informed that you are dealing with the OIA collation for Operation Convoy.

I am in the planning team and whilst talking with NZDF over some things they raised the point below. I think that it would be beneficial for you to liaise with their people in terms of their reply to ensure it aligns with our thinking.

Could you please liaise with s. 9(2)(a) [redacted] from NZDF

Many thanks

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>

Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 16:16

To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>

Cc: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)

@nzdf.mil.nz>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Newshub - protest unclassified [SEEMAIL]

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Hi s. 9(2)(a)

As discussed, please provide your preferred wording for the following PR:

“The NZDF was approached last week by the New Zealand Police to determine what assistance could be provided to help tow away illegally parked vehicles from around Parliament. As of today no decisions have been made about NZDF involvement.”

I’ve included s. 9(2)(a), Defence Public Affairs, should you wish to coordinate your NZ POL statement with NZDF (please keep me on CC). Cheers

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

Deputy Director Strategic Commitments – Domestic
Strategic Commitments & Engagements Branch
Te Ope Kātua o Aotearoa | New Zealand Defence Force

s. 9(2)(a)

www.nzdf.mil.nz



From: s. 6(a)
Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 1:33 p.m.
To: s. 9(2)(a) @nzdf.mil.nz>
Cc: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>; s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>
Subject: RE: Newshub - protest unclassified

Hi s. 9(2)(a) ,

That looks accurate from our perspective.

We will run it past NZPOL.

s. 6(a) Can you please run this past s. 9(2)(a) at NZPOL to ensure they are aware. It is essentially an OIA, so they may prefer that it is not answered at this time; alternatively they may want us to decline for security matters (which we would they have to assess if that was valid).

Regards

s. 6(a)

Director Strategic Commitments
Strategic Commitments & Engagements Branch
New Zealand Defence Force

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a)
Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 1:25 p.m.
To: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>; s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>
Subject: FW: Newshub - protest unclassified

Hi s. 6(a)

We received a number of queries last week and a couple of agencies have followed up with us today about assisting police with the protests.

s. 9(2)(a) drafted the below with CoS and CDF has been given vis but they would like it to be run via you guys then police to see if you are ok with it before anything goes to any journalists.

“The NZDF was approached last week by the New Zealand Police to determine what assistance could be provided to help tow away illegally parked vehicles from around Parliament. As of today no decisions have been made about NZDF involvement.”

Let me know what you think and if you would like any changes.

Kind regards

s. 9(2)(a)

Media Advisor -DPA, Defence Public Affairs

Te Ope Kātua o Aotearoa | New Zealand Defence Force

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a)
To: s. 9(2)(a)
CC: s. 6(a); s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

Sent: Tue, 15 Feb 2022 00:18:31 GMT

Hi s. 9(2)(a)

Approval this task has just been received.

Your NZDF POC is:

s. 6(a)
s. 6(a)@NZDF.mil.nz
s. 9(2)(a)

He's expecting a call and TMC (Dante Road site) is ready for the arrival of the first tow truck.

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

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Strategic Commitments & Engagements Branch
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s. 9(2)(a)
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From: s. 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz]

Sent: Tuesday, 15 February 2022 11:46 a.m.

To: s. 6(a)@NZDF.mil.nz>

Cc: s. 6(a)@police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)

@police.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

Awesome s. 6(a)

s. 9(2)(a) is our POC in relation to this phase (email attached)

We also now have a generic email up and running for the planning cell, so happy to receive direct emails but can you please also include the on cc'd here

Thanks for your help so far

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 15 February 2022 11:40
To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

*** [SEEMAIL] This message may contain classified information ***

Ok thanks. Approval is now with my boss and TMC is ready for the green light. I'm expecting we should be able to get close to the 1400 arrival. Who is your POC (that will liaise with TMC POC for briefing / key handover etc)?

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

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Strategic Commitments & Engagements Branch
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From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz]
Sent: Tuesday, 15 February 2022 11:00 a.m.
To: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

At this stage from approx 1400hrs today

A bit presumptuous but one is already on the road on the way to us

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From: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 15 February 2022 10:19
To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

*** [SEEMAIL] This message may contain classified information ***

Perfect - thanks. Approval is still under action here in the HQ. What time today did you want access to the site?

Cheers

From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>
Date: Tuesday, 15 Feb 2022, 9:39 AM
To: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

Yes they are all covered under us

s. 9(2)(a)

Operations Manager – Response Capability

Senior User – Police Body Armour System (BAS) Rollout Project

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On 15/02/2022, at 09:06, s. 6(a) @nzdf.mil.nz> wrote:

*** [SEEMAIL] This message may contain classified information ***

Hi 9(2)(a) ,

Can you please confirm that NZ POL will provide indemnity for damage to towing vehicles whilst parked?

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

Deputy Director Strategic Commitments - Domestic
Strategic Commitments & Engagements Branch
Te Ope Kātua o Aotearoa | New Zealand Defence Force

s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz]

Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 5:08 p.m.

To: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>

Subject: FW: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

s. 6(a)

As per 9(2)(a) reply below

Please let me know if you require any further details

s. 9(2)(a)

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s. 9(2)(a)



From: s. 6(a) @NZDF.mil.nz>

Sent: Monday, 14 February 2022 15:21

To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)

@police.govt.nz>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities [SEEMAIL]

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Good afternoon gents,

[HQNZDF has been forwarded this request for support from CDHQ. Is this aligned with the PNHQ strategy in response to the protest action?](#)

The plan around protest action involving the towing of vehicles has been approved by PNHQ

On face value, it looks like its something we can support; however, we'd a need a formal request (email from PNHQ to HQNZDF, attention myself) outlining the following:

- Activity type (staging area - overnight parking of tow-trucks, broad description of drills and therefore how big and what is the level of risk for damage to the training area etc)
- Staging Area , as the trucks will be leaving and returning to this area.
- Overnight parking from Tuesday the 15th February until Sunday the 21st February 2022
- Training and drills will be around personal security of the Tow truck drivers should the protestors break through the outer cordon and their personal safety is threatened.
- There will no damage to the training area as this revolves around staff being on foot and getting Driver back to their truck and drive away.
- In addition to the estimated number of two-trucks, what is the size of the contingent during training (civilian vehicles, police vehicles, & personnel etc.)
- Up to six(6) tow trucks are expected to be involved.
- Duration of access to NZDF site (include specific access times, or do you need the freedom to arrive/exit ?)
- At this stage timings are as per point 1 above.
- As Trentham Military Camp have identified a possible location (secure, but without 24/7 security) that is outside the main wire what are your security requirements (ie will NZ POL or a Security contractor, for example, provide overnight watch on the location?)
- Police and or security will be provided for the Tow trucks in the enclosure.
- Does the contingent require access to Trentham Military Camp inside the main wire? (current Covid settings makes this a little more tricky to arrange, however, it's good to know what your intent is for accommodation etc of the tow-truck drivers are).
- Accommodation and messing will be off site
- An indication of what you sense the level of risk to be, in terms of attracting unwanted attention, would be useful.
- Low to medium given the distance from Parliament.

Thanks and looking forward to hearing from you soon. Happy to chat if you require any clarification points. Office landline is best within normal working hours.

Kind regards,

s. 6(a)

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Strategic Commitments & Engagements Branch
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s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a) [redacted] @police.govt.nz>
Date: Monday, 14 Feb 2022, 12:22 PM
To: s. 6(a) [redacted] @NZDF.mil.nz>
Subject: FW: Use of Trentham Camp facilities

Good morning s. 6(a)

Thank you for your time on the phone just now and to confirm our conversation:

I am currently working on planning for the protests underway at parliament. Obviously our key objective remains a negotiated resolution but we have also started some contingency planning regarding actions we may need to take, one being the removal of vehicles from the roadway.

You may have seen in the media there have been some issues sourcing local tow firms however have a number of tow operators from across the North Island who are prepared to travel to Wellington to support the operation. We have actions underway regarding protection for the tow trucks and operators, certainly during their actions to remove vehicles but also need to securely store them on their arrival and through until the conclusion of this stage of the operation. Note storage is for the tow trucks only – not the vehicles removed from the roadway. We anticipate up to 12 tow vehicles / trucks.

As discussed, the request is for us to securely store the tow trucks at Trentham Camp – commencing tomorrow through until Sunday 20th February 2022.

We would also appreciate the use of an area for us to do some training with police staff and the tow operators to exercise and test our actions when deployed.

Thanks for considering this request.

Regards

s. 9(2)(a)
[redacted]

Inspector
Central District
s. 9(2)(a)
[redacted]

Central District Headquarters, 404 Church Street, Palmerston North 4410, www.police.govt.nz



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From: s. 6(a)
To: s. 9(2)(a)
CC: s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: [SEEMAIL] RE: [EXTERNAL] [SEEMAIL] PNHQ 2 shop contact

Sent: Wed, 16 Feb 2022 00:30:07 GMT

Thanks, s. 9(2)(a)

Hi s. 9(2)(a)

As s. 9(2)(a) has intimated, I'm the OGA LO this weekend and will be called in to PNHQ in the event NZDF is required for assisting NZPOL in removing vehicles from IVO Parliament. We're preparing for anything which means I need to get hold of a TA (or RA) regarding the protest environment. I'm sure you can appreciate domestic ops aren't something we usually have something ready for!

Any help you can give would be great, I'm not as supremo as s. 9(2)(a) says but I'm sure you are!

Regards,

s. 6(a)

s. 6(a)

JSO2 Intelligence Coordination - HQJFNZ, Headquarters Joint Forces New Zealand
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s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz]

Sent: Wednesday, 16 February 2022 1:25 p.m.

To: s. 6(a) @nzdf.mil.nz>; s. 9(2)(a)

@police.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] [SEEMAIL] PNHQ 2 shop contact

Hi s. 6(a), hi s. 9(2)(a)

E-introduction time. s. 9(2)(a) s. 6(a) is a close friend of mine and Intel supremo in the New Zealand Air Force, currently posted to the J2 (Intel) branch at Joint Force Head Quarters up the road from you in Trentham. She is the duty Other Government Agency (OGA) rep this week and will likely be heading into PNHQ as the NZDF Liaison Officer.

s. 6(a) s. 9(2)(a) the District Manager Intelligence for Wellington District and is responsible for leading the Intel support to Op Convoy (or whatever it's called). s. 9(2)(a) is also a Intel supremo and has been my police intel mentor and someone I periodically whinge to within Police.

s. 9(2)(a) could you please forward the TA or RA through to s. 6(a) so she can brief up her chain?

Kind regards,

s. 9(2)(a)

s. 9(2)(a)

District Manager Intelligence: Eastern District
Eastern District Headquarters (Hastings)

s. 9(2)(a)

From: s. 6(a) @nzdf.mil.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, 16 February 2022 1:18 PM
To: s. 9(2)(a) @police.govt.nz>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] [SEEMAIL] PNHQ 2 shop contact

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Hey mate,

In the event there's a green light on this towing task, who is a good person to get in touch with regarding a TA in Wellington, specifically threat from protestors?

Regards,

s. 6(a)

s. 6(a)

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From: s. 6(a)
To: s. 9(2)(a)
Subject: RE: Current status of NZ Police requests to NZDF [SEEMAIL]

Sent: Wed, 16 Feb 2022 19:14:01 GMT

Morning s. 9(2)(a)

Update on current requests for support from NZDF:

1. Request for support to tow vehicles - *NZDF is not in a position to support this request due to a number of factors including the unsuitability of our recovery platforms, a low trained state of many of our recovery personnel due to MIQ commitments over the last 18 months and the requirement to waive imposed post-MIQ stand-down following MIQ tasking. A response has been provided to the Police Commissioners Office.*
2. Request for potential use of VIP accommodation at Trentham - *Trentham POC details have been passed to s. 9(2)(a) who will visit Trentham to assess the accommodation suitability.*
3. Request to use secure carpark at Trentham for tow truck parking and staging area - *Request approved.*
4. Request for an NZDF Liaison Officer in the PNHQ Major Operations Centre - *Request approved until Fri 18 Feb and will be re-assessed.*
5. Request for overhead imagery support - *An appropriate image was collected and is in the process of being downloaded and sent to Police. Comms have been established in case there is a need for further support products to be generated.*

Any questions, please let me know.

Regards

s. 6(a)

Assistant Director Strategic Commitments - Domestic
Strategic Commitments and Engagements Branch
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s. 9(2)(a)

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From: s. 9(2)(a)@police.govt.nz]

Sent: Wednesday, 16 February 2022 2:57 p.m.

To: s. 6(a)@NZDF.mil.nz>

Subject: Current status of NZ Police requests to NZDF

Afternoon s. 6(a)

Can you please advise Police of the current status of the requests NZ Police have made to NZDF in respect to Operation OVERSIGHT/Op CONVOY.

Many thanks

s. 9(2)(a)

From: s. 9(2)(a)
To: s. 6(a)
Subject: Intel battle rhythm for Op CONVOY

Sent: Wed, 16 Feb 2022 00:37:48 GMT

Hey mate,

Police Intel battle rhythm for Op OVERSIGHT/CONVOY:

A MOC was established this morning at PNHQ under the name OP OVERSIGHT, as distinct from the WLG District OP CONVOY.

In terms of planning cycle, the following meetings/outputs are scheduled at the MOC:

- 0830hrs standup and **Intelligence Update** (summary of overnight activity - drawing largely on WLG Intsum)
- 1200hrs standup and **Intelligence Update**
- 1300hrs standup and **Intelligence Update** (summary of National Intsum to be released at 1600hrs)
- 1600hrs **National Intsum** released

An updated ISP will be released in due course, and as ever your support and feedback is appreciated. In the meantime, s. 9(2)(a) is the JIG Manager should you have any immediate questions.

Cheers,

s. 9(2)(a)

s. 9(2)(a)
District Manager Intelligence: Eastern District
Eastern District Headquarters (Hastings)

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From: s. 9(2)(a)
To: s. 6(a)
Subject: External: Police POC for OP CONVOY planning

Sent: Wed, 16 Feb 2022 08:21:28 GMT

Hi s. 6(a)

s. 9(2)(a) told me that you have been recalled to work to assist (lead) planning for involvement in support of Police's OP CONVOY. If it would help I could put you in contact with Police's lead planner in the Major Operations Centre (MOC) stood up to provide national level co-ordination for parts of OP CONVOY, including the removal of vehicles from WLG streets.

I know in Army it's all about CoC, so if it makes any difference, it was actually s. 9(2)(a) who encouraged me to reach out to you.

Ngā mihi

s. 9(2)(a)

s. 9(2)(a)
Director Supply Chain Management
Corporate Operations
Police National Headquarters

s. 9(2)(a)



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From: s. 6(a) Sent: Fri, 18 Feb 2022 20:23:26 GMT
To: s. 9(2)(a)
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Subject: RE: NZP request for planners - Wellington Central Police Station on Mon 21/2/22 at 1200hrs reporting to s. 9(2)(a) (dets below)[SEEMAIL]

Morning s. 9(2)(a)

Received thanks. Will come back to you with formal approval to close the loop.

Regards

s. 6(a)

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Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] RE: NSSD Workshop_CONVOY 2022

s. 9(2)(a)

Meeting to be 1600-1730 PNHQ Molesworth Street
Level 15 Room 1.

Agency reps are to sign in at the foyer and then be escorted up to the room.

Can you send the invite please.

While Police will lead this meeting there is desire from the National Controller that DPMC are the scribe and report back to ODESC.

s. 9(2)(a)

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- NZP
- NZDF
- MoD
- MOT
- NEMA
- Corrections
- MoJ
- Crown Law
- DIA - from a Ministerial Services perspective
- MBIE - from a business impact perspective
- DPMC - Policy advisory Group, Legal and NSSD

We are happy to send out an invitation to agencies for the meeting. If you can let us know ASAP about other agencies and your preferred location.

Thanks

s. 9(2)(a)

Senior Advisor
National Security Systems Directorate
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

s. 9(2)(a)



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s. 9(2)(a)

Having spoken with s. 9(2)(a) as National Controller for OP OVERSIGHT (CONVOY 2022 Protest), he has indicated a desire to convene a workshop this afternoon.

Timing for the workshop would be 1600-1730hrs at either PNHQ (TBC: s. 9(2)(a) to advise) or Defence House.

s. 9(2)(a) envisages a Sprint session, led by NSSD, in support of Police as lead agency. s. 9(2)(a) noted the success/value of the Sprint sessions led by DPMC in support of MoH as lead agency through Covid.

The purpose of the meeting would be to identify additional considerations, resource implications, and risks of the Options presented by the Commissioner and the Scenarios identified to date by Police Intelligence. The thoughts, ideas, and experience of partner agencies is considered critical to determining higher level system implications and identification of opportunities for agencies to support Police as lead agency.

A rough agenda could include:

- Current situation update
- Options overview (as briefed to ODESC)
- Scenarios identified
- Analysis of options against scenarios to identify strategic implications/considerations

Your assistance in convening a meeting of key agencies is appreciated.

As a separate issue, Police will review assistance requirements for operational planning capability and will engage directly with relevant agencies.

Ngā Mihi,

s. 9(2)(a)

Director: National Intelligence

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Hi s. 9(2)(a);

I will attend this on behalf of NZDF.

Can you please let me know the confirmed time/location, or whether it will be VTC? s. 9(2)(a)

Regards

s. 6(a)

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