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Tēnā koe Adam

Official Information Act request: New Zealand Government and corruption

Thank you for your email of 13 February 2023, in which you requested, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), information regarding the measures taken to prevent corruption in New Zealand's political system.

A response to your request is being prepared. However, due to the external consultation required, a response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. Accordingly, I am extending the time limit for response to this request by 20 working days under section 15A of the Act and will respond to you by no later than 12 April 2023.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Act to complain to the Ombudsman about the decision to extend the time for responding to your request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email toinfo@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phone on 0800 802 602.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Act. The Office of the Ombudsman may be contacted by email to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phone on 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



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