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Dear Mr Chee

Thank you for your email responding to the release of information made to you following your request for information under the Official Information Act (OIA).

Consistent with guidelines from the Office of the Ombudsmen it is the policy of the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (the Ministry) to provide information released in response to an OIA request on paper stamped "Released under the Official Information Act". The use of this paper indicates that the release of the information was intended and not the result of an unauthorised leak. Also consistent with guidelines the stamp is not such as to affect the legibility of the document.

The Ministry may consider providing an unstamped copy of the companion document, however you will need to provide a mailing address the document can be sent to if that decision is made.

You have asked for the names and contact details of the authors of the companion document "Diagnosis of Buildings for Weathertightness" and the 2007 publication "External moisture – a guide to weathertightness remediation". Both documents were developed using advice provided by variety of experts rather than being authored by any one official. If you have questions or want clarification of particular parts of either document could you set them out and sent by email to infodbh@mbie.govt.nz where they can be passed onto the appropriate expert.

Yours sincerely

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