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K Anderson

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Dear K Anderson

Official Information Act Request for Information on Communications with Cameron Slater

I refer to your Official Information Act request of 26 November 2014 for "*any communications between yourself and Cameron Slater between 1st October 2014 and 26th November 2014 (inclusive)*".

In relation to your request, please find the attached transcript between Cameron Slater and the Prime Minister. This information was released as the communications were in the Prime Minister's capacity as a Minister of the Crown, and not in any other capacity. I can advise the Prime Minister telephoned Cameron Slater on 26 November 2014 to obtain a copy of the text messages sent and received as these messages had not been retained. Mr Slater forwarded these text messages back to the Prime Minister. No other information has been identified relevant.

You are entitled to ask the Ombudsman to review this response under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act.

Yours sincerely

Wayne Eagleson
Chief of Staff

Encl Transcript of texts between Cameron Slater to Prime Minister

CS: [journalist] gave it away to me...Goff leaked SIS report
Nov 24

PM: It's a joke isn't it. They will attack Jason for talking to u and they break the confidentiality agreement. Classic lab.
Nov 24

CS: Yup...I'm very angry over it...Goff is the one who leaked oravida stuff too.
Nov 24

CS: They still have standard bloggers on staff
Nov 24

CS: And McCarten was involved in hack
Nov 24

PM: Hopefully it will all come out in time
Nov 24

CS: I wish they would hurry up...they played the real dirty politics...even tried to kill me...I have evidence of.
Nov 24

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