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Thank you for your email of 29 May 2023 to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE) requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), the following information:

Please refer to this request from last year.

<https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ffyi.org.nz%2Frequest%2F20849%2Fresponse%2F79342%2Fattach%2F4%2FDOIA%25202223%25200774%2520A%2520KS%2520Response%2520Letter.pdf&data=05%7C01%7CMinisterialServices%40mbie.govt.nz%7C6d0d8c390cc84bca73ee08db601b49b6%7C78b2bd11e42b47eab0112e04c3af5ec1%7C0%7C0%7C638209444274176292%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljojMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IjEkaWwWLCJXVCi6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=i1%2BBvMmKbkqRBThGDC1XNN2YDgsUvWRqjTC2XopLumc%3D&reserved=0>

In the above response you'd mentioned the following

The documents in scope of Parts 3 and 4 of your request are currently being prepared for proactive release. We must therefore refuse these parts of your request under section 18(d) of the Act. However, in the interests of transparency, please find below a list of papers in scope of your request that MBIE will make available on our website:

However, I have checked the MBIE document library and I can only find Parent category documents from 2019 and nothing from 2022.

Could you check if the documents mentioned in the above OIA response were released and can you point to the right URL links or can attach them in the response of this OIA request.

In addition to the 6 documents mentioned in the above response, please provide the following 3 documents too

2223-1510 *Proactive Release: Parent Category Cabinet paper and briefings 2 November*

2223-1692 *Parent Resident Visa Category 10 November*

2223-1510 *Proactive release – Parent Category Cabinet paper and briefings 23 November*

I have taken this list from the following website

<https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.mbie.govt.nz%2Fabout%2Fopen-government-and-official-information%2Flists-of-ministerial-documents-by->

[portfolio%2Fimmigration%2Fimmigration-2022%2F&data=05%7C01%7CMinisterialServices%40mbie.govt.nz%7C6d0d8c390cc84bca73ee08db601b49b6%7C78b2bd11e42b47eab0112e04c3af5ec1%7C0%7C0%7C638209444274176292%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljoimC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IjEhaWwiLCJXVCi6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=RF3fkdVsWGGLrU2BeupomSEMnSSxYEHMsG6rIP%2Bqf4c%3D&reserved=0](https://www.mbie.govt.nz/6d0d8c390cc84bca73ee08db601b49b6%7C78b2bd11e42b47eab0112e04c3af5ec1%7C0%7C0%7C638209444274176292%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljoimC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IjEhaWwiLCJXVCi6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=RF3fkdVsWGGLrU2BeupomSEMnSSxYEHMsG6rIP%2Bqf4c%3D&reserved=0)

I am writing to advise you that MBIE will provide a response but needs to extend the time available to answer your request. MBIE's response will be sent to you no later than **11 July 2023**. We will endeavour to respond to you earlier than this date, if possible.

The reason for the extension is that following recent unforeseen events in regards to the Minister's Office, consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response can no longer reasonably be made within the original time limit.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request or this response, or if you require any further assistance, please contact OIA@mbie.govt.nz.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of our decision to extend the time limit. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



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