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Ref: OIA-2023/24-0073

Dear Cam Slater

Official Information Act request relating to any recordings made by Tom Peoples, and complaints and disciplinary action related to those recordings

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act (the Act), received on 28 July 2023. You requested:

“ I request the following:

- any recordings made on any device by Tom Peoples including recordings made of ministers, MPs, staffers and members of the public in the months of April and May 2023.*
- any details of any disciplinary action involving these recordings*
- copies of any complaints by staff or politicians about Tom Peoples recordings and the responses to those complaints.*

For the avoidance of doubt this request covers actual recording files in whatever format, ALL correspondence, diary notes, aide memoires or any documentation including written and electronic correspondence including emails, as well as phone, txt, and other messaging apps including but not limited to Signal and Whatsapp.

Please acknowledge receipt of this request, and please provide electronic copies of each file covered by this request. ”

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet does not hold information relating to your request but I believe such information is held by the Department of Internal Affairs. Accordingly, I have decided to transfer your request to the Department of Internal Affairs under section 14(b)(i) of the Act.

The Department of Internal Affairs has the usual timeframes under the Act from receipt of this transfer to make a decision on your request.

Yours sincerely

Amy Teague
Manager Ministerial Services