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Tēnā koe Keith

Thank you for your email of 12 October 2024 to the office of the Minister of Immigration Hon Erica Stanford, requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), the following:

It's so hard to find out anything about this man [Karel Sroubek]! Is he or isn't he still in NZ? If he is WHY??

Your request was transferred to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE) on 14 October 2024, under section 14(b)(ii) of the Act as the information you have requested is more closely connected with the functions of MBIE.

Our Response

Mr Karel Sroubek remains in New Zealand. He is exercising his rights of review and appeal which means he cannot be deported at this time.

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

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request or this response, please contact <u>inzoias@mbie.govt.nz</u>

Nāku noa, nā

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