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Tēnā koe Rodney

### **Request under the Official Information Act 1982 – Notification of extension**

Thank you for your email of 12 November 2024, requesting information from Whitireia and WelTec | Te Pūkenga – New Zealand Institute of Skills and Technology (Whitireia and WelTec).

I am writing to let you know that we are extending the timeframe for making a decision on your request by 15 working days. Allowing for the summer holiday period (25 December – 15 January) you can expect a decision on your request by 22 January 2025.

This extension is being made under section 15A(1)(b) of the Official Information Act (OIA).

Consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. Please be assured we will provide a decision prior to this new date and do our best to respond this side of Christmas, if at all possible.

If you have any questions about this extension, please do not hesitate to contact me via email at: [uia@tepukenga.ac.nz](mailto:uia@tepukenga.ac.nz).

You have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the OIA if you are not happy with this extension. Information about how to do this is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or by calling 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi

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