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Dear Lewis

Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your email of 12 December 2024 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

If possible, I request the current timeline for the introduction of digital drivers licences and the latest documents related to digital drivers licences from 1/11/2024.

I am withholding this document under the following sections of the Act:

- 9(2)(f)(iv) to maintain the constitutional conventions for the time being which protect the confidentiality of advice tendered by Ministers of the Crown and officials
- and 9(2)(j) to enable a Minister of the Crown or any department or organisation holding the information to carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations) respectively.

Under section 28 of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to withhold this information. The contact details for the Ombudsman can be located at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

If you would like to discuss this reply with NZ Transport Agency Waka Kotahi (NZTA), please contact Ministerial Services by email to official.correspondence@nzta.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely



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