

17 August 2015

Liam Stoneley fyi-request-2959-c926da46@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mr Stoneley

I refer to your email of 20 July 2015 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982:

- all documents, manuals or reports regarding private prosecutions in New Zealand;
  and
- anything that helps citizens understand the process of how to proceed with private prosecutions.

A response to your request is currently being prepared. However, due to the requirement for consultation with other parties a response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

Accordingly, I am extending the time limit for response to this request (which was originally 17 August 2015) for a further 20 working days under section 15A of the Official Information Act and will respond to you by 14 September 2015.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act to complain to the Ombudsman about the decision to extend the time frame for response to your request.

Yours sincerely,

Brendan Gage Manager Criminal Law Team

Ministry of Justice