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Dr Grahame Craig fyi-request-3821-0067cb43@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Dr Grahame Craig

I refer to your email of 24 October 2015 in which you request the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

"...As the Chair of Trustees of Business Mentors NZ (BMNZ), I wish to be copied with all correspondence to and from MFAT and Ms Kerry Burridge, between the dates of July 1st 2012 and August 31st 2015..."

On 17 November 2015, you agreed to narrow the scope of your request to the following:

"...I can narrow down my request by specifying correspondence containing any one or more of the following keywords:

Business Mentors NZ Pacific Business Mentoring Programme Ray Schofield..."

This letter advises that due to the necessity for further consultation, we are extending the time limit for responding to you by 20 working days, to 18 January 2016. It is possible however, that even with this extension, we may not able to release material relevant to your request.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the OIA to seek a review of this response by the Ombudsman.

Yours sincerely

Joana Johnston

for Secretary of Foreign Affairs and Trade

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