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Dear Jackson Wood

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, received on 3 November 2015. You requested the following:

> *"Under the Official Information Act, I would like to request any and all documents, correspondence, advice, or information The Treasury has prepared, sent, or received on, or about, Pandas since 1 January 2010.*
>
> *Of specific importance would be any documents, correspondence, advice or information prepared for, sent to, or received from: the Prime Minister and/or his office, or the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC). I would also like to be provided with answers to the following questions:*
>
> *1) At any time since November 2008 has The Treasury been involved in the creation of any economic forecasts for the likely benefit or cost of Pandas to the New Zealand economy?*
>
> *2) Has The Treasury been consulted by any of the following about the economic benefits or costs of obtaining Pandas:*
> - *the Prime Minister*
> - *the Prime Minister's office or DPMC*
>
> *3) What possible economic implications are there for New Zealand in securing Pandas for a New Zealand zoo?"*

After conducting a search through Treasury records I must advise that I have not found any information relevant to your request. Consequently I must decline your request under section 18(e) of the Official Information Act – that the document alleged to contain the information requested does not exist or, despite reasonable efforts to locate it, cannot be found.

Yours sincerely

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