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Dear Alfie West

## Official Information Request for Information on Breakdown of Offences Committed by NZ Detainees

I refer to your Official Information Act request of 10 November 2015 for:

1. *"How many of the New Zealanders held on Christmas Island have been convicted and served prison time for child molestation?"*
2. *"How many of the New Zealanders held on Christmas Island have been convicted and served prison time for rape?"*
3. *"How many of the New Zealanders held on Christmas Island have been convicted and served prison time for murder."*

Information on the number of New Zealand detainees held in Australian detention centres was provided to this Office via the Minister of Justice. Therefore, the information you have requested appears to be more closely connected with the responsibilities and functions of the Minister of Justice. Accordingly, your request has been transferred to the Minister under section 14 of the Official Information Act.

Yours sincerely

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Chief of Staff

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