

30 May 2016

Mr Kelly
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Dear Mr Kelly

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

I refer to your correspondence of 17 May 2016 in which you requested the December 2014 weekly report that was sent to the Minister of Police that made reference to the disappearance of Mrs Wills.

I have considered your request in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982. Your request is refused pursuant to the following sections:

- 9(2)(a) to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons, and;
- 9(g) maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through –
 - (i) the free and frank expression of opinions by or between or to Ministers of the Crown or members of an organisation or officers and employees of any department or organisation in the course of their duty.

If you are not satisfied with my response to your request you have the right to complain to the Office of the Ombudsmen and seek an investigation and review of my decision.

Yours sincerely



Mike Rusbatch
Assistant Commissioner: Response & Operations