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Dear Mr Schmidt

Thank you for your email of 24 May 2016 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982:

I note that the Immigration Policy team within MBIE maintains a number of ongoing policy initiatives/projects/reviews based on its own priorities and that of the Minister ('the work programme').

Under the Official Information Act I request the list of all initiatives/projects/reviews/proposals/work requests the Immigration Policy team is currently working on - what would otherwise be known as the work programme.

I sincerely apologise for the delay in responding to your request.

A copy of the projects that the Immigration Policy team is currently working on is attached as Annex 1.

If you wish to discuss this response, please contact uia@mbie.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely

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Annex 1

As at June 2016
Immigration Policy work programme projects
currently underway

Immigration charter
Immigration Advisers Licensing Act review
Global Impact Visa - support procurement
Investor review
New Zealand Residence Programme
Essential Skills policy - review
Skilled residence policy - review
Long-term temporary work policy and pathway to residence
Review of discretion
Refugee quota - community-sponsored
Omnibus paper - miscellaneous policy changes
Pre-purchased ESOL and onshore residence applications
Miscellaneous regulation changes
Management of Immigration Levy

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