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### **Response to your request for official information**

Dear Ms Wilson

Thank you for your request of 19 June 2016 under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) requesting:

*I would like to know the status of the National Infrastructure Platform (NIP). How much is the cost to the taxpayer and if it is continuing, when will it be completed?*

The ministry apologises for the delay in getting this response to you, as necessary consultation was undertaken.

The National Infrastructure Platform (NIP) programme is ongoing. While there has been delivery delays to the National Infrastructure Platform, there has been no impact on DHB frontline services. Further information on the NIP programme can be found at:

<http://www.treasury.govt.nz/statesector/investmentmanagement/publications/majorprojects/pdfs/mppr-jul16.pdf>

Therefore I have decided under section 18d of the Act to refuse your request as the information requested is or soon will be publically available.

I trust this information fulfils your request. You have the right, under section 28 of the Act, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to withhold information under this request.

Yours sincerely



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