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Dr Robert Shaw fyi-request-4263-ce50b657@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Dr Shaw

I refer to your request dated 16 July 2016, pursuant to the Official Information Act 1982, seeking:

'Could you please confirm that none of the steel used in the Taranaki projects in the last two years was sourced from China. If some of it was, what projects have Chinese sourced steel?'.

This letter is to notify you that the Ministry is transferring your request to NZ Transport Agency.

The information you have requested is not held by the Ministry of Transport but is believed by us to be held by NZTA. Accordingly, your request is being transferred pursuant to section 14 of the Official Information Act.

Further correspondence on this request will therefore come to you from NZTA. Note that the time limit for responding will be 20 working days from when NZTA receives this transfer from us.

Yours sincerely

David Bowden

Acting General Manager Organisational Development

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