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Ref: H201603087

Dear Ms Baker

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request of 28 July 2016 under the Official Information Act 1982 for:

"The total amount of intellectually disabled minors in New Zealand who have IQs over 70, and whether or not their funding has been continued after they turn 17?"

I have decided to refuse this request for information under Section 18(g) of the Act as the information requested is not held by the Ministry of Health and I have no grounds for believing that the information is either held by another department, Minister of the Crown, organisation or local authority.

You have the right, under Section 28 of the Act, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to refuse your request.

Yours sincerely

Jacinda Lean

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