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Dear Graham

OFFICIAL INFORMATION REQUEST

I refer to your official information request 2 September 2016 for the following:

1. What has been DOC's response to each of the specific recommendations on the Lake Taupo Review over the past few years?

As per the letter dated 9 September 2016 reference 16-E-287/doc 2864523 the copy of the stocktake document- doccm-2839410 as provided to you, identifies the Department's response to each of the opportunities identified in the 2013 Taupo Fishery Review. The separate opportunities have been allocated short, medium, long-term or ongoing timeframes for completion and to date, you will see that all of the opportunities have been considered with a small number identified as being unable to progress.

2. What have DOC actually done about each of the recommendations from the report?

Again as identified within the copy of the stocktake document- doccm-2839410, the column titled 'Notes' provides a short description of the current state for each opportunity. You will see all the opportunities are in differing states of progression and for the most part have been actioned. The reason for the opportunities that are either on hold or not being progressed also have associated comments that identify the reason for delay or no further action required.

Yours sincerely

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