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P.A. Hamill fyi-request-4331-febead0e@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mr Hamill

Thank you for your email of 31 July 2016 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), information relating to a specific case that involved the Accident Compensation Corporation.

I must advise that the information you request falls outside the provisions of the OIA. Section 2(6) of the OIA specifies that it does not apply to the judicial functions of a court or tribunal. Information held on a PSPLA file is considered to be Tribunal record rather than Official Information.

Accordingly, your request is refused pursuant to section 18(g) of the OIA as the Ministry of Justice does not hold the information you have requested.

If you are not satisfied with my response to your request, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the OIA. The Ombudsman may be contacted by writing to PO Box 10-152, Wellington.

Yours sincerely

Tania Ott

**General Manager, Special Jurisdictions (Acting)** 

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