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Minister for Disability Issues

Associate Minister supporting Greater Christchurch Regeneration

Associate Minister of Conservation

Sam Bird

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Dear Sam

Thank you for your email of 23 August 2016 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982, the following:

- *The definitions of "people with health issues" and "disabled people", used by Project 300;*
- *The total number of "disabled people" who were registered with Project 300 from its inception through to April 2016;*
- *The total number of "people with health issues" who were registered with Project 300 from its inception through to April 2016;*
- *The number of disabled people and people with health issues registered with Project 300 who were unemployed at the time of their registration with Project 300;*
- *The number of people initially registered with Project 300 who as a result of Project 300 gained full-time employment;*
- *The number of people who registered with Project 300 who have a mental or psychiatric disability;*
- *The number of people who registered with Project 300 who have a mental or psychiatric disability and who gained full-time employment as a result of Project 300;*
- *The total number of people who at any time between 1 April 2015 and 1 April 2016 were registered with Project 300 as people with a disability or health issue;*
- *The total sum of money spent on Project 300.*

This letter is to advise that your request has been transferred to Mr Brendan Boyle, Chief Executive of the Ministry of Social Development.

This is because your request is more closely aligned with the functions of the Ministry of Social Development. Section 14(b)(ii) of the Official Information Act allows me to transfer any request that is believed to be more closely aligned with the functions of another department, organisation or Minister of the Crown.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review of my decision to transfer your request by the Ombudsman, whose address for contact purposes is:

The Ombudsman
Office of the Ombudsman
P O Box 10-152
WELLINGTON 6143

Yours sincerely

Hon Nicky Wagner
Minister for Disability Issues